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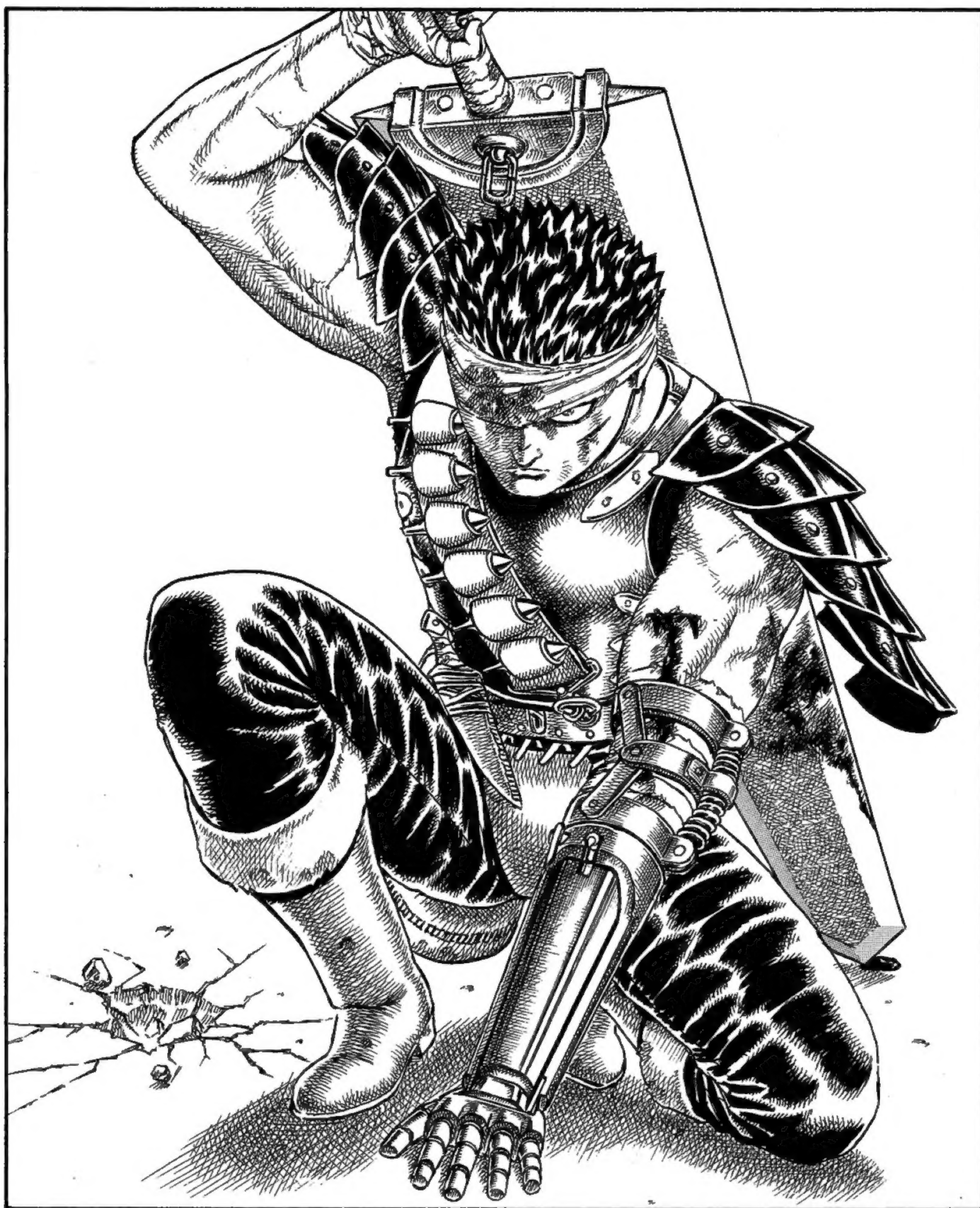
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THE GUARDIANS OF DESIRE, CHAPTER 2





A  
BEHELIT  
?!



Y-YOU  
KNOW  
WHAT  
THIS  
IS?!



....!





GLTS...  
STOP!

EEEEK

ooo



IT...  
IT'S  
NOT  
MINE!

WHO  
THE  
HELL  
ARE  
YOU?

WHERE'D  
YOU  
GET THIS  
THING?

IT'S  
FROM THE  
CASTLE...I  
STOLE IT  
FROM THE  
COUNT!

I-I'M  
TELLING  
YOU THE  
TRUTH!

.....





TELL  
ME  
ABOUT  
IT.

TELL ME  
EVERYTHING  
YOU  
KNOW.

-HMMPH!-

....!



.....



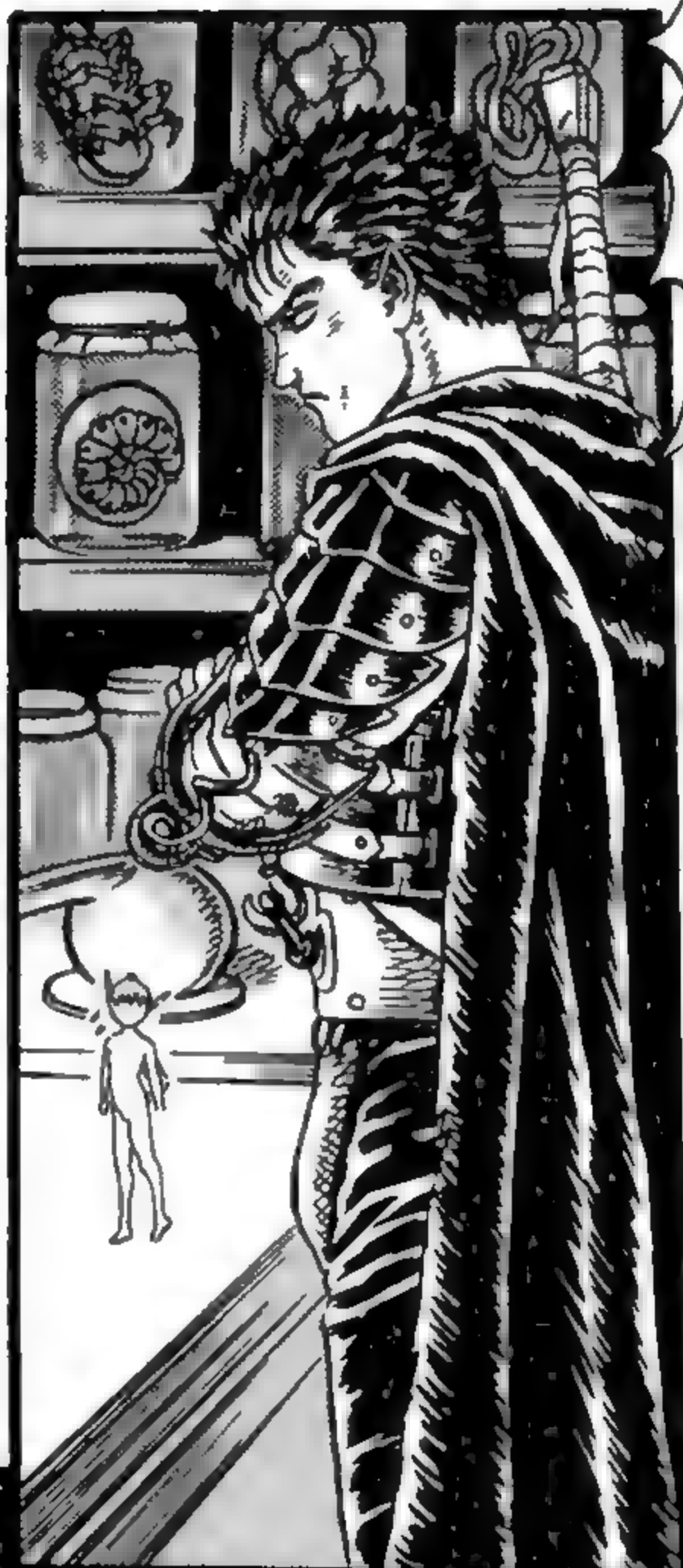
MY NAME  
IS VARGAS.  
I USED TO BE  
THE CASTLE  
PHYSICIAN.

...BUT AT  
LEAST HE  
WAS STILL  
*HUMAN.*

IN THOSE  
DAYS THE  
COUNT WAS A  
DIFFERENT  
PERSON. HE  
WAS *CRUEL...*







...THE  
COUNT  
CHANGED!



BUT SEVEN  
YEARS AGO,  
AFTER GETTING  
HOLD OF THIS  
THING...

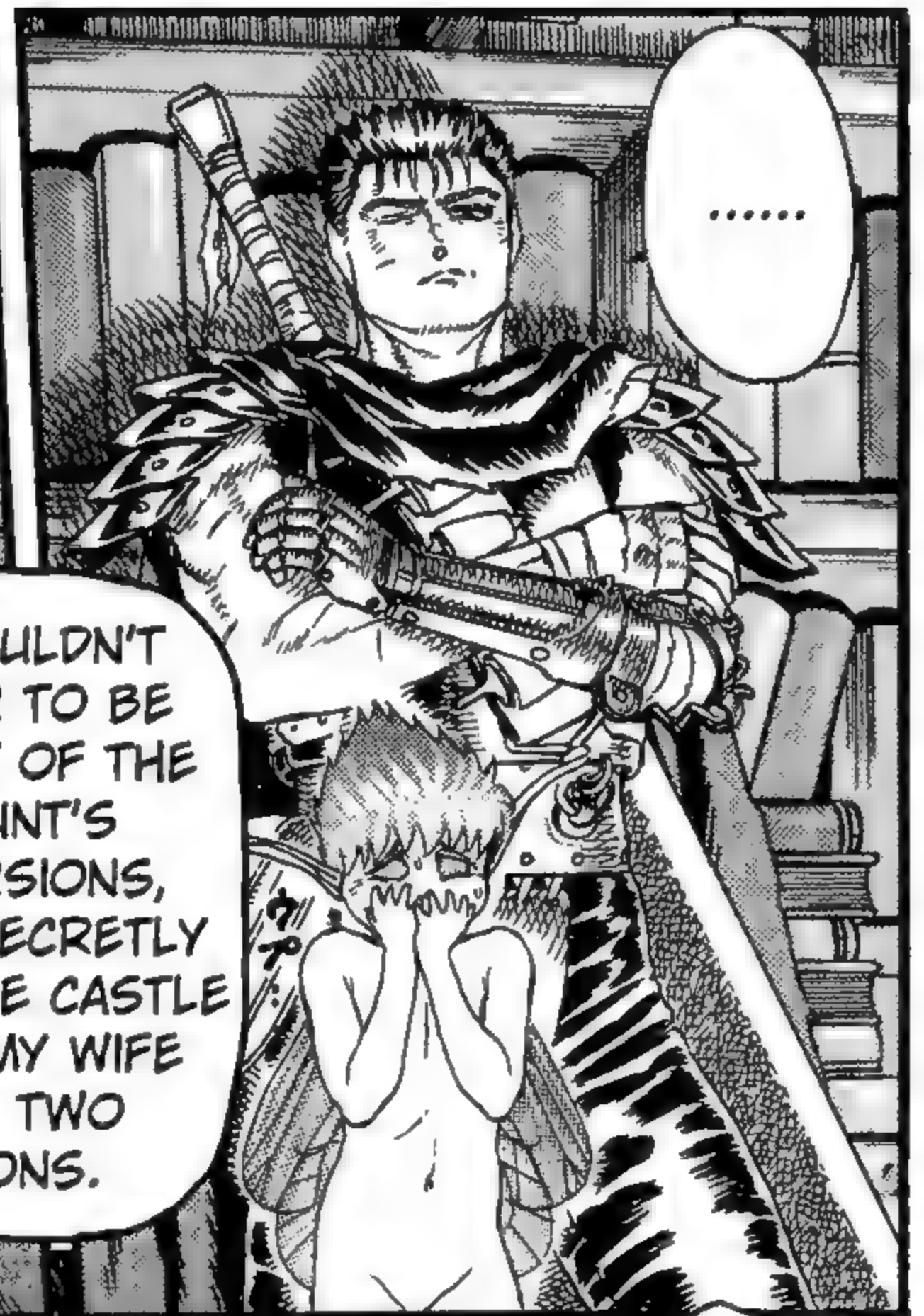
"SLICING THEM OPEN,  
CHOPPING THEM UP,  
VIOLATING THEM, AND  
THEN EATING THEM."

"HE BEGAN TO  
TREAT PEOPLE  
AS IF THEY  
WERE MERE  
PLAYTHINGS,  
DISSECTING  
THEM ALIVE..."

"HIS INQUISITION  
OF HERETICS  
BECAME NOTHING  
MORE THAN AN  
EXCUSE TO  
ACQUIRE MORE  
BODIES."

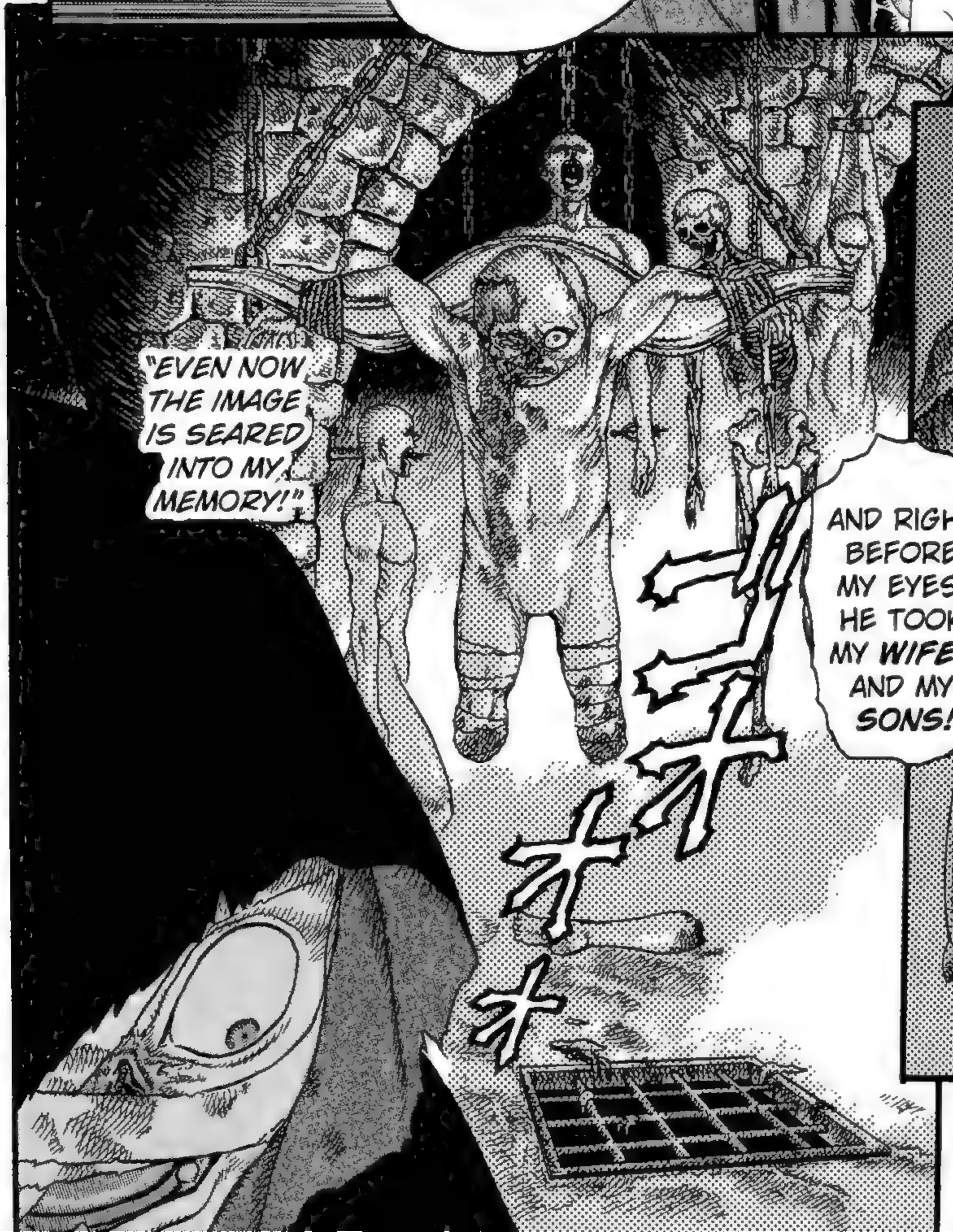






I COULDN'T  
BEAR TO BE  
A PART OF THE  
COUNT'S  
DIVERSIONS,  
SO I SECRETLY  
FLED THE CASTLE  
WITH MY WIFE  
AND TWO  
SONS.

BUT ON OUR  
WAY OUT WE  
WERE CAUGHT  
AND THROWN  
INTO PRISON.

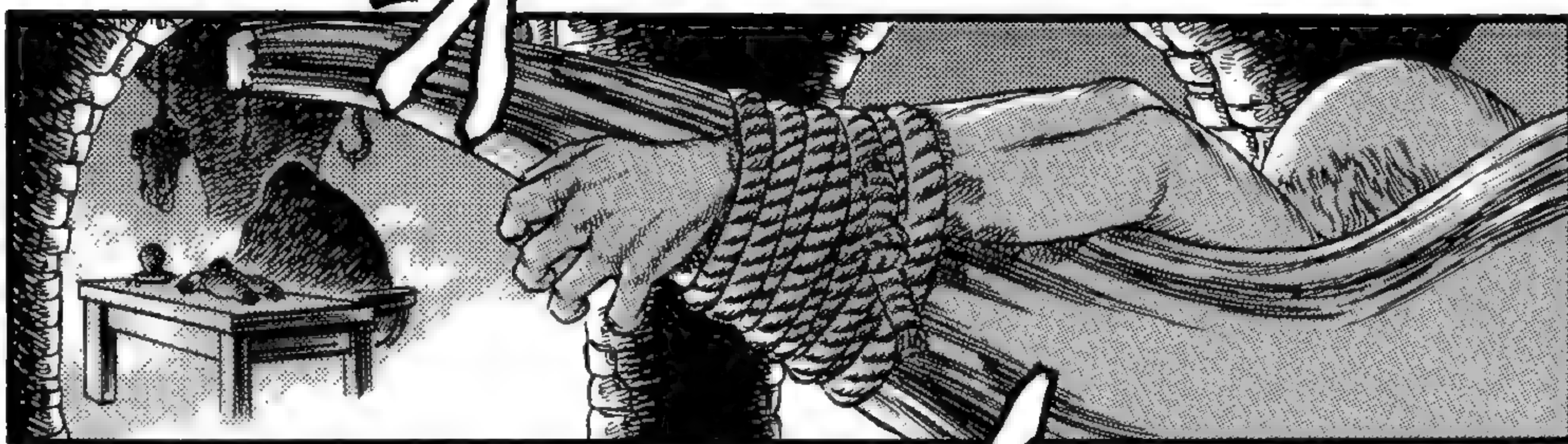
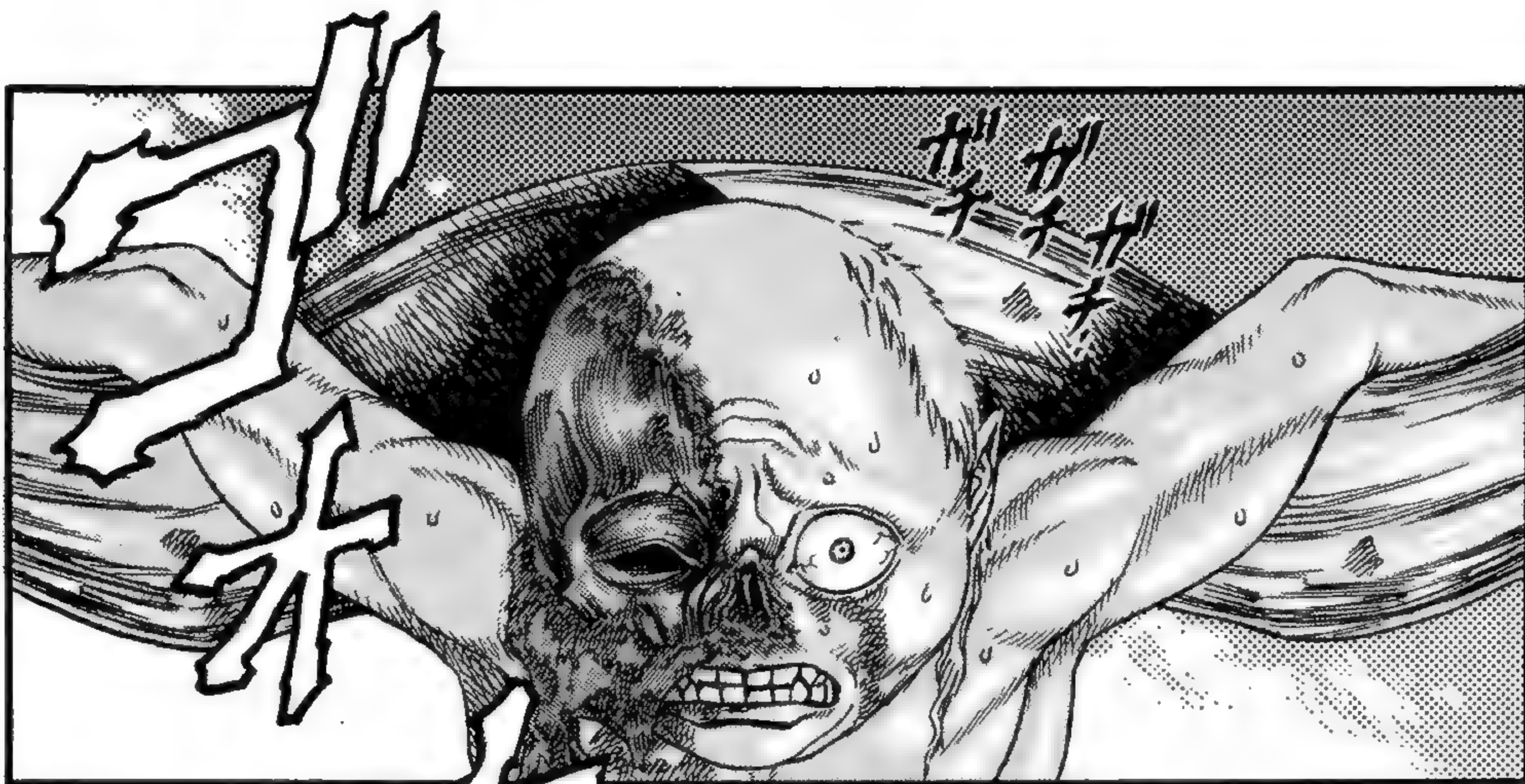


"EVEN NOW  
THE IMAGE  
IS SEARED  
INTO MY  
MEMORY!"

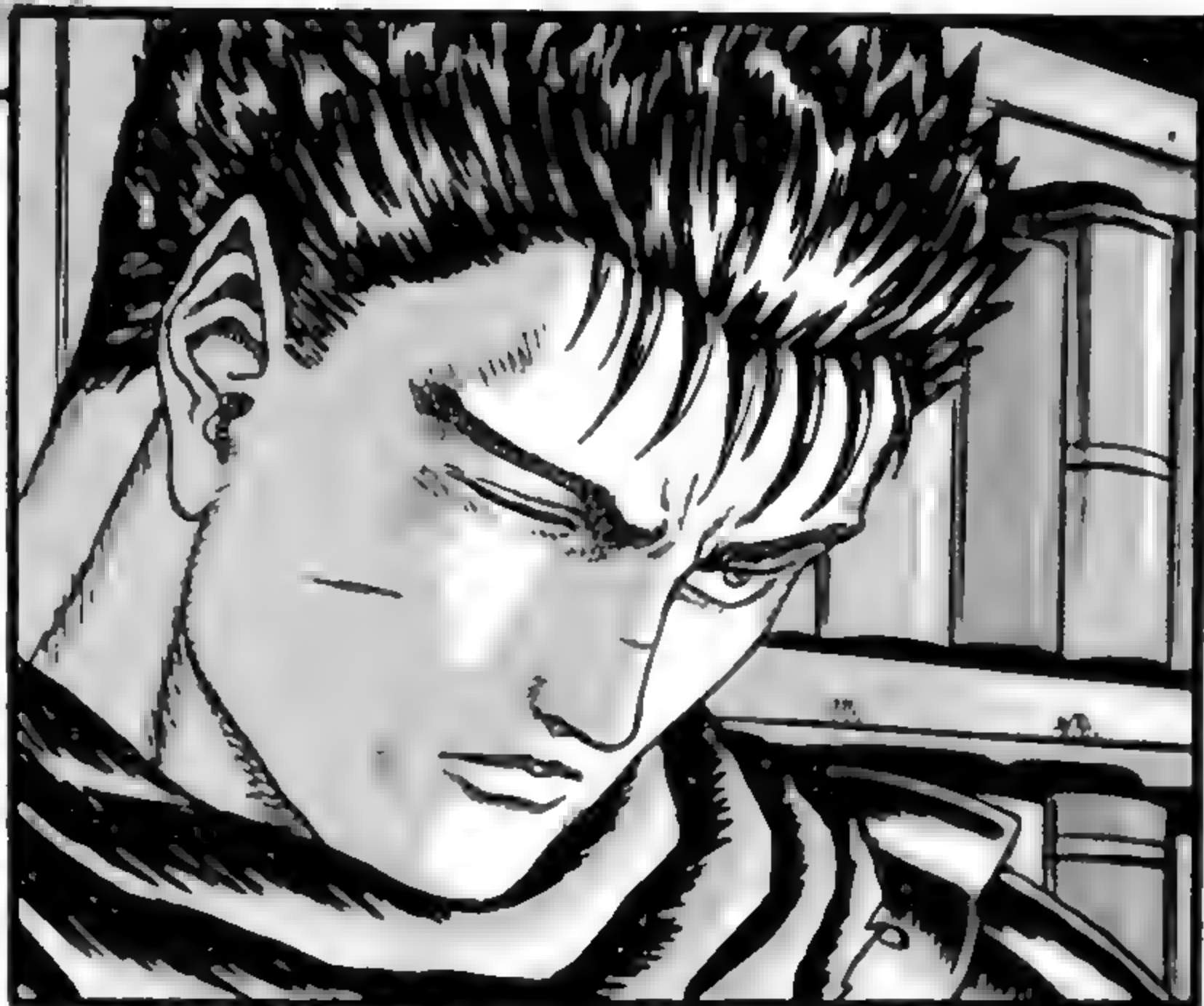
AND RIGHT  
BEFORE  
MY EYES,  
HE TOOK  
MY WIFE...  
AND MY  
SONS!

THEN  
THE FIEND  
HACKED  
ME UP...













...I WAS...

...I WAS NOTHING BUT A PRISONER OF FEAR.



AT THE TIME...

...MORE THAN ANGER OR SORROW...



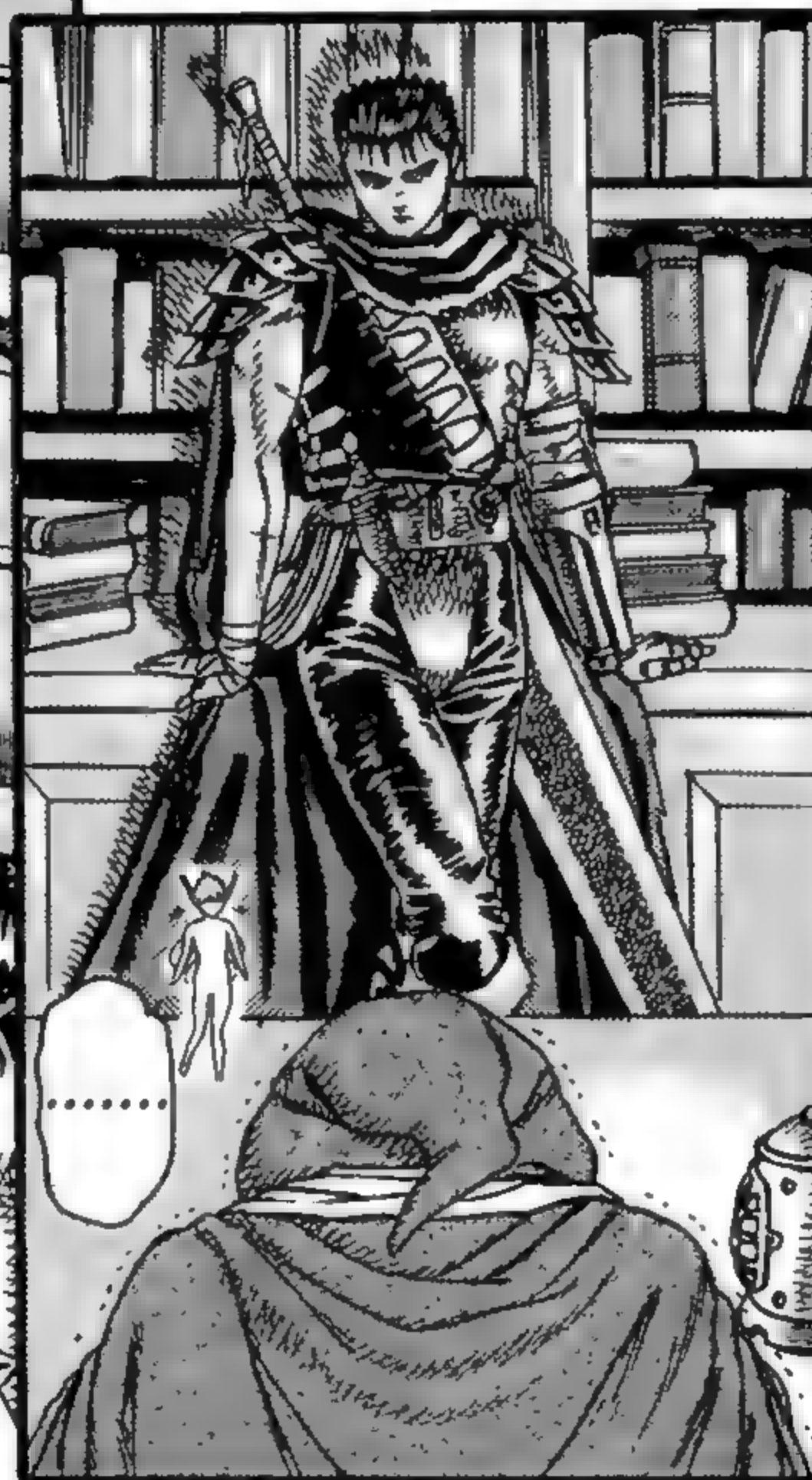
...MORE THAN CONCERN FOR MY WIFE AND TWO SONS...



I USED A DRUG THAT I'D CONCEALED TO FEIGN MY DEATH.

.....

AND WHEN THE OPPORTUNITY AROSE, I SLIPPED OUT OF THE CASTLE, TAKING THIS THING WITH ME. IT WAS A MIRACLE.



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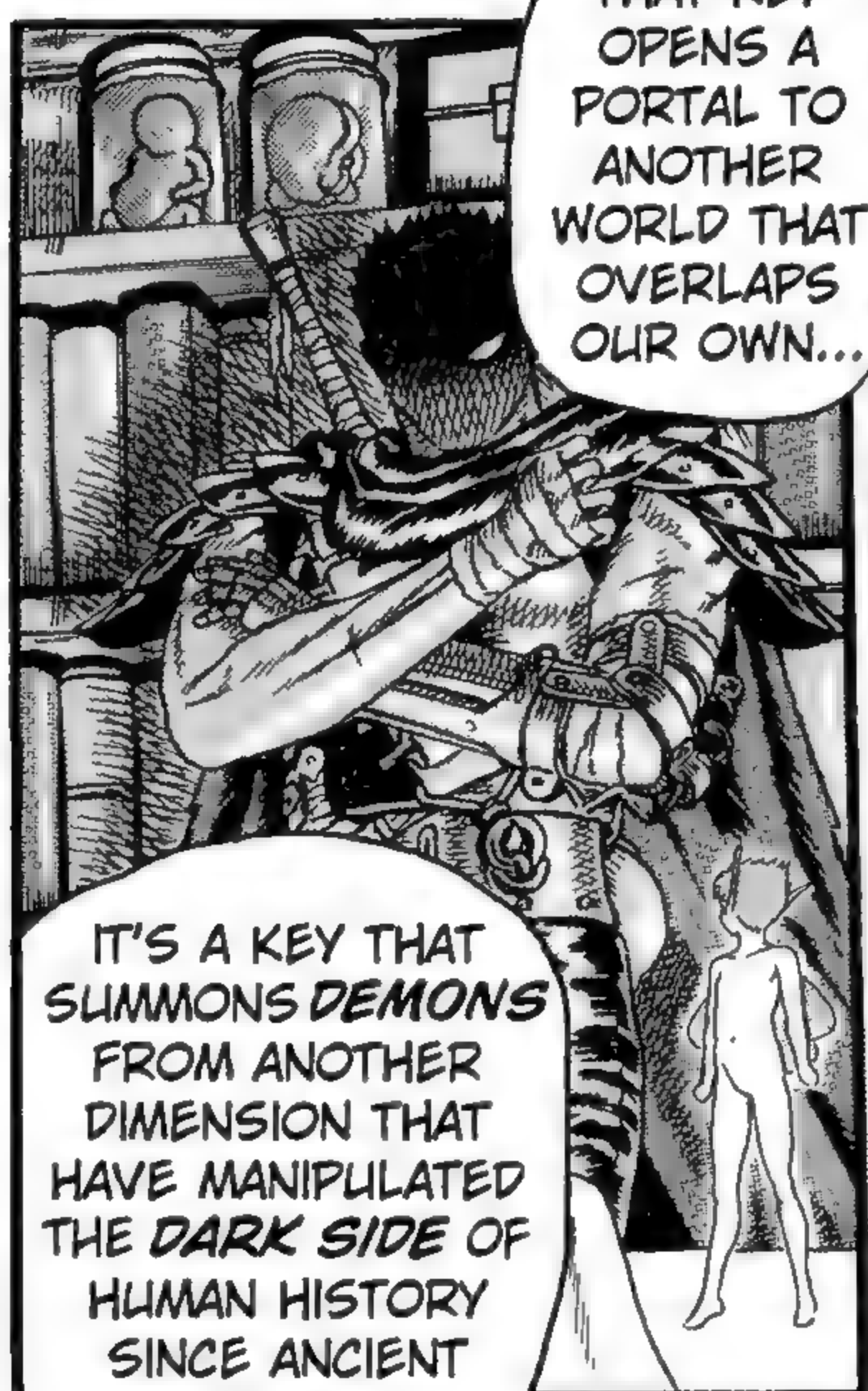
SINCE THEN,  
SEVEN YEARS  
HAVE PASSED.  
DURING THAT TIME,  
I'VE TIRELESSLY  
RESEARCHED  
EVERY ASPECT OF  
RELIGION AND THE  
OCCULT.

BUT I COULD  
NEVER UNCOVER  
A SINGLE CLUE  
ABOUT THE  
NATURE OF  
THIS THING.



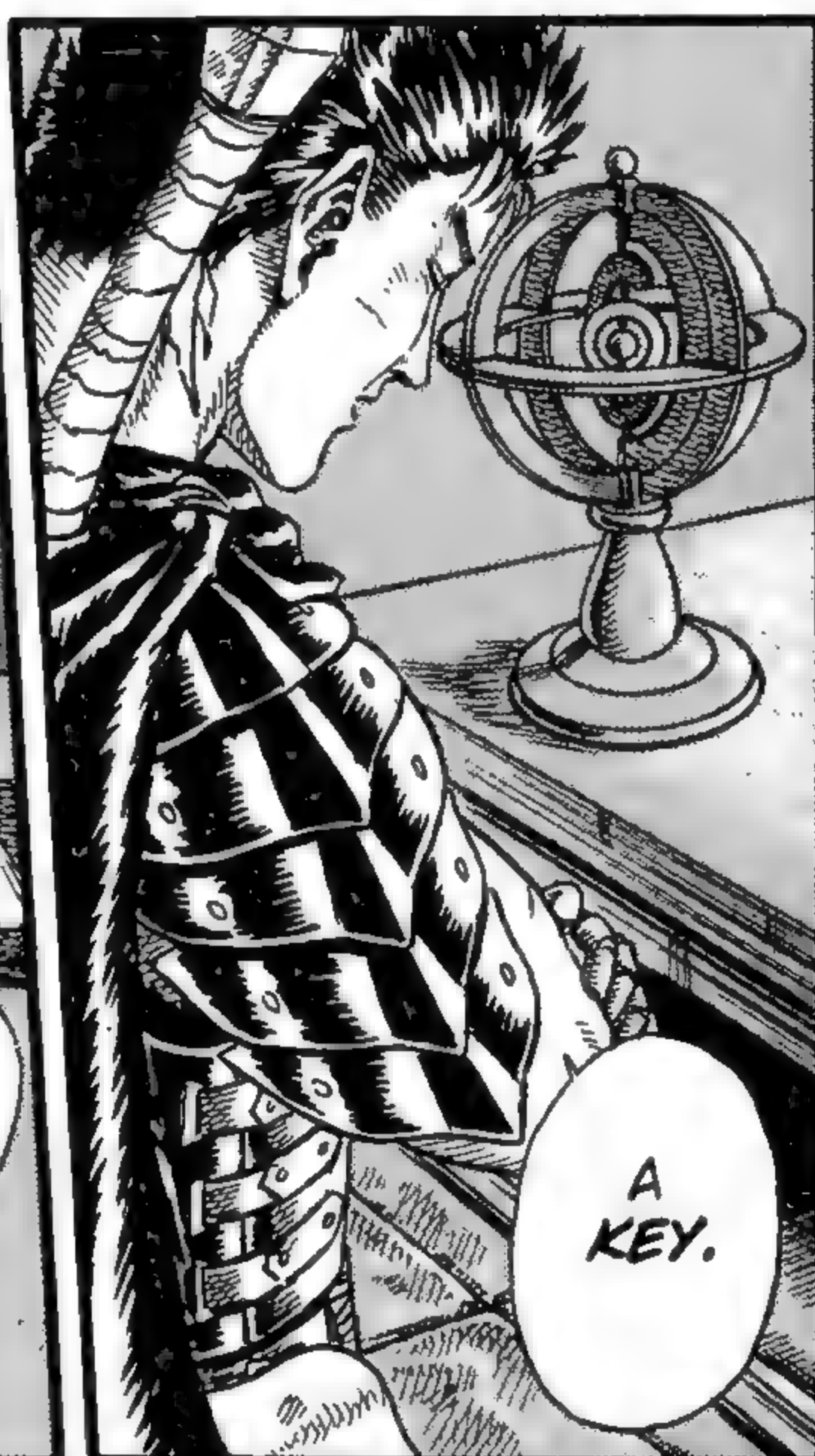
...THIS  
THING...  
WHAT IN THE  
WORLD  
IS IT?

THIS...



THAT KEY  
OPENS A  
PORTAL TO  
ANOTHER  
WORLD THAT  
OVERLAPS  
OUR OWN...

IT'S A KEY THAT  
SUMMONS DEMONS  
FROM ANOTHER  
DIMENSION THAT  
HAVE MANIPULATED  
THE *DARK SIDE* OF  
HUMAN HISTORY  
SINCE ANCIENT  
TIMES.

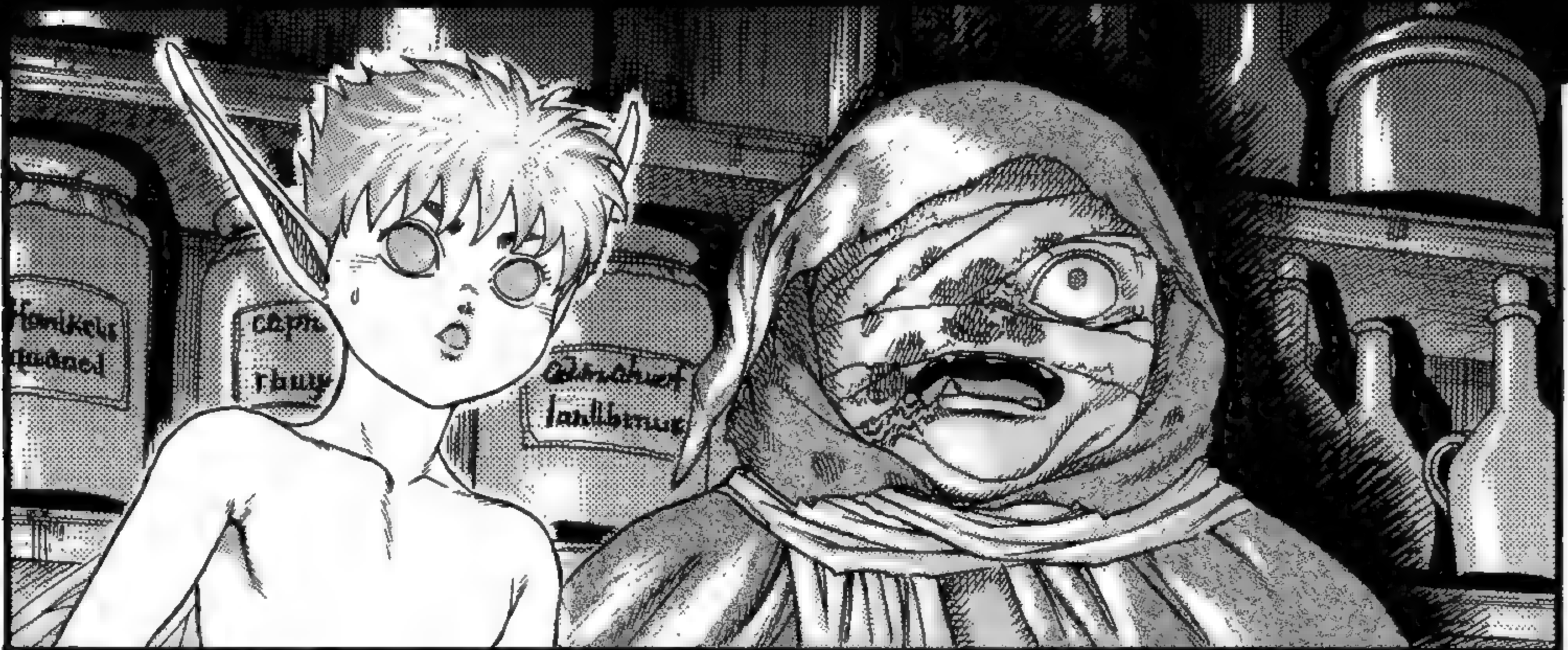


A  
KEY.

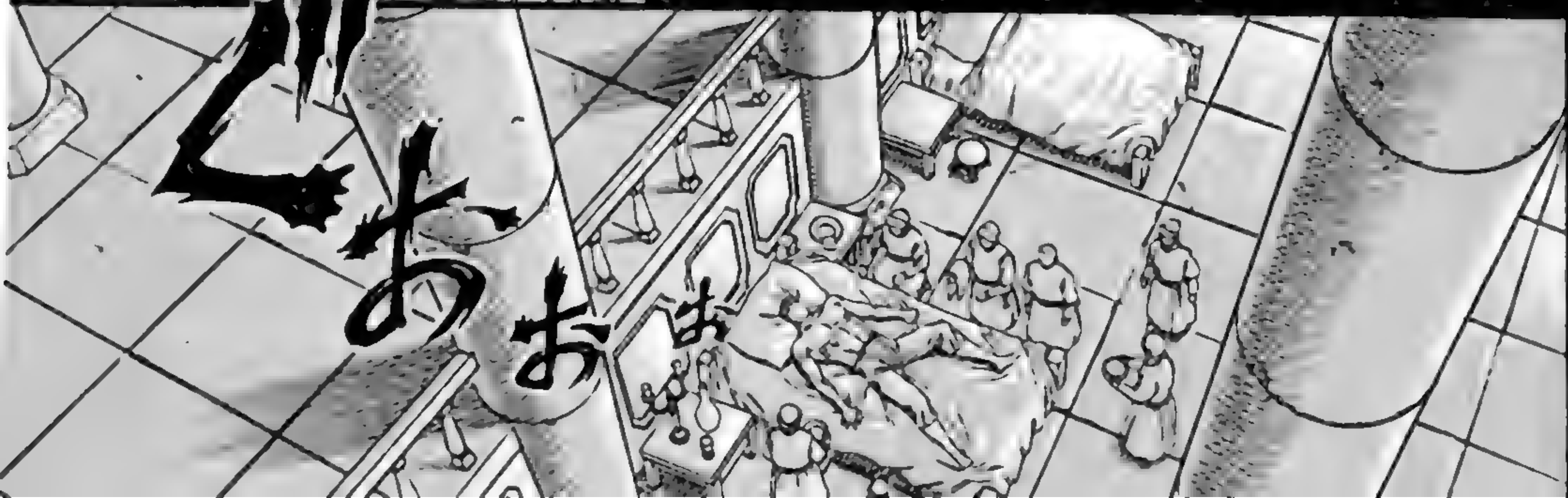




THE FIVE  
MEMBERS  
OF THE  
GODHAND.









L-LORD  
ZONDARK!

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ガラッ  
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I'LL  
KILL  
YOU!

KILL!

ああ

LORD  
ZONDARK,  
CALM  
DOWN,  
PLEASE!

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ギリ

EEEE

ギリ









**BLACK  
SWORDS-  
MAN!  
I'LL KILL  
YOU!**

**BLACK  
SWORDS-  
MAN...**

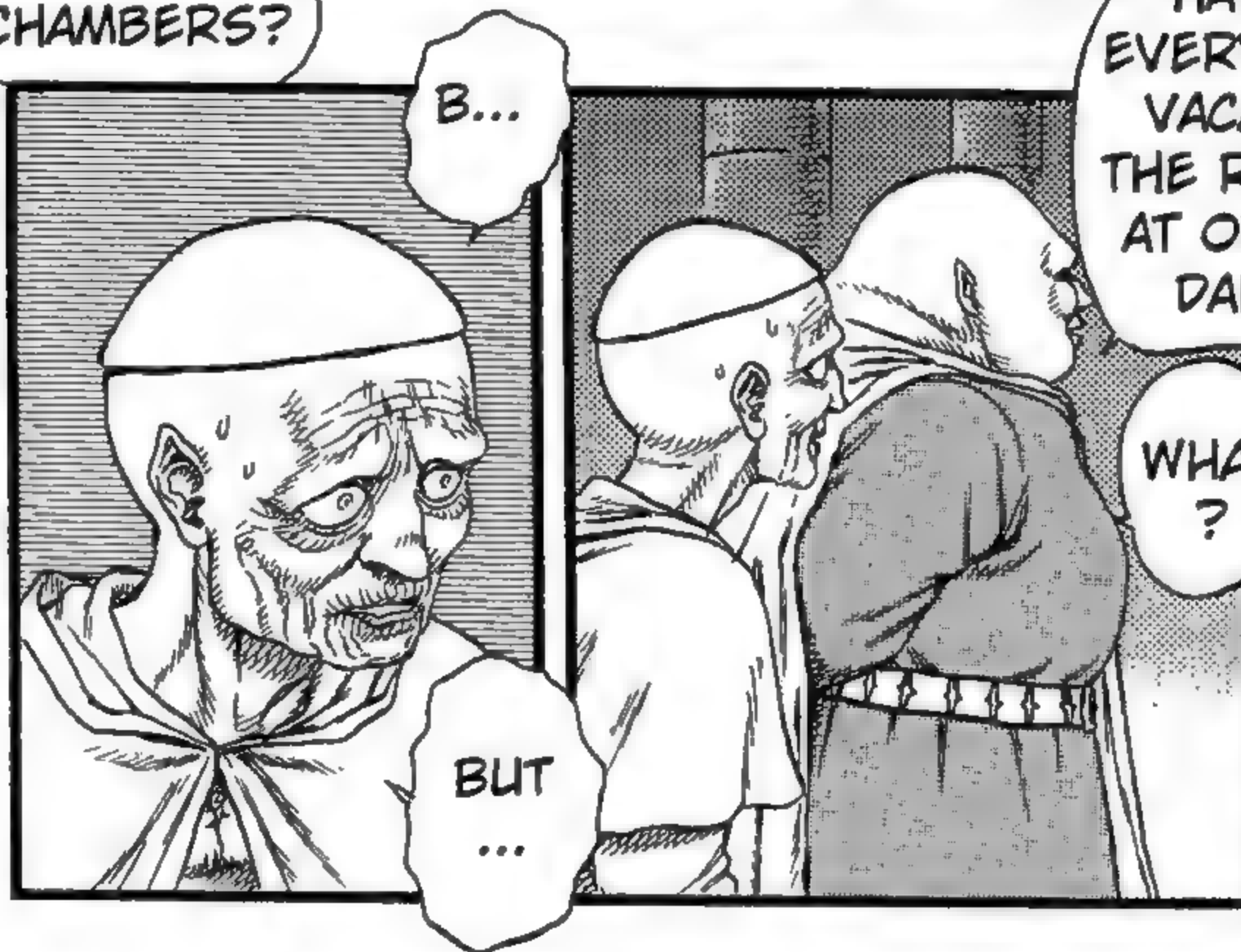


THIS IS  
DANGEROUS.  
MAY I  
SUGGEST  
YOU RETURN  
TO YOUR  
CHAMBERS?

EXCEL-  
LENCY  
...



HMMMM  
...



B...

BUT  
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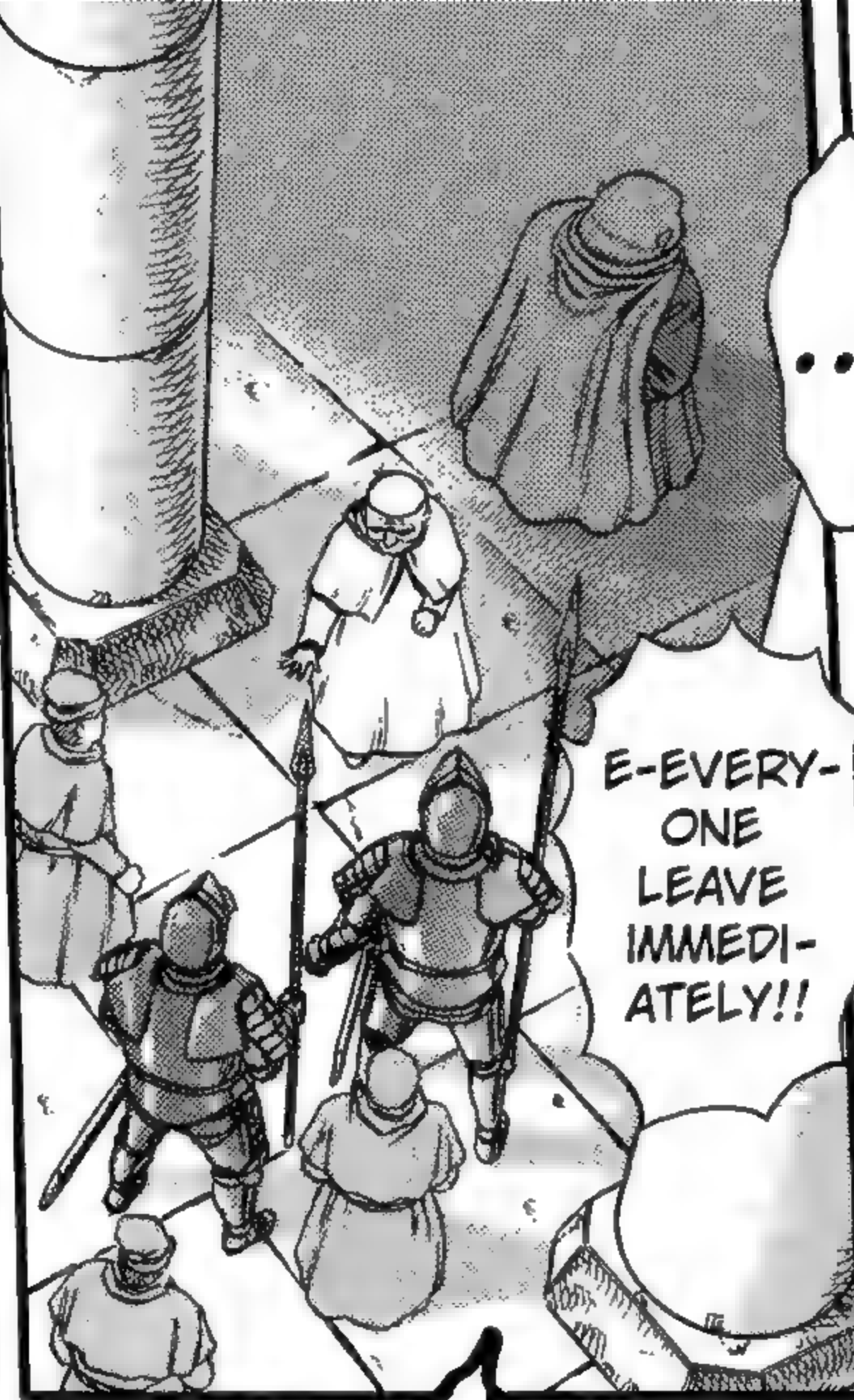
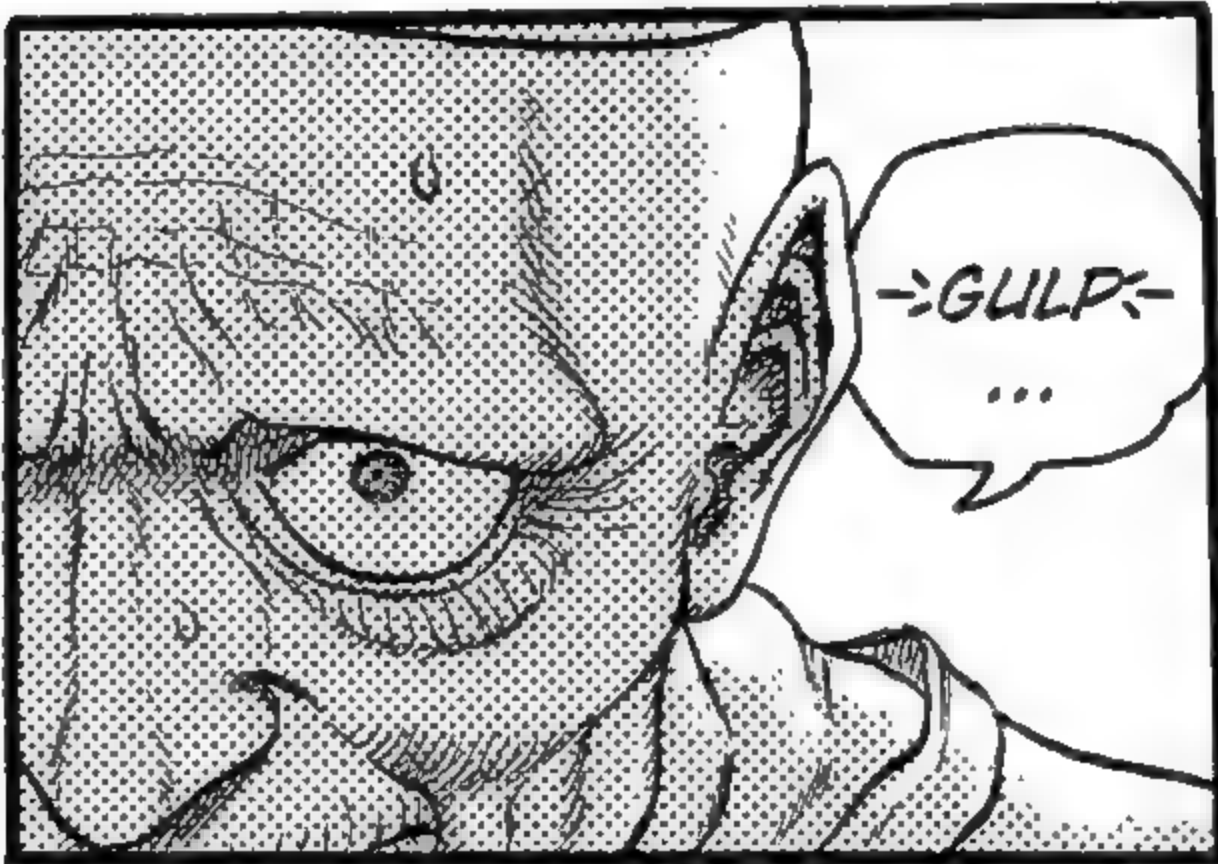
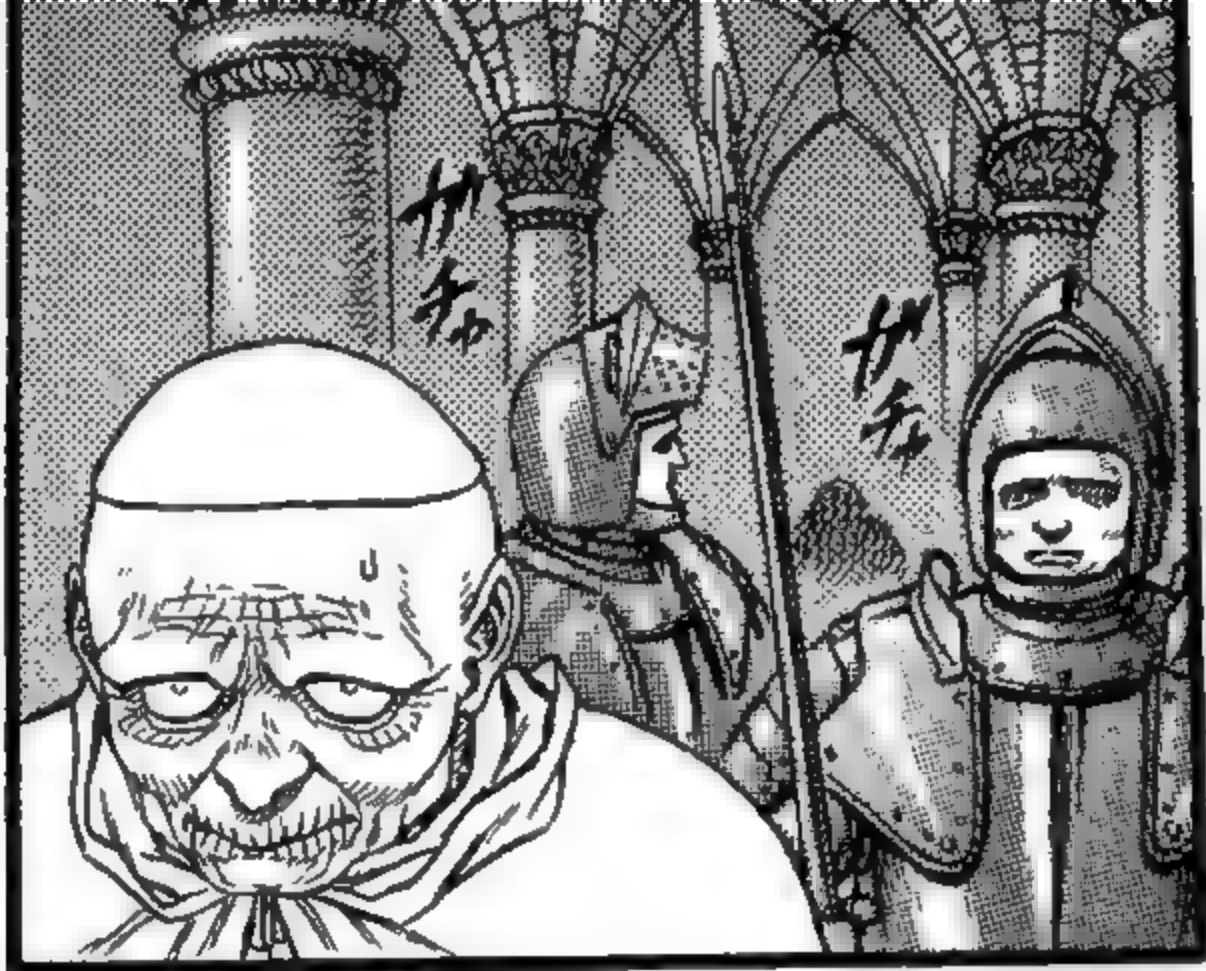
HAVE  
EVERYONE  
VACATE  
THE ROOM  
AT ONCE,  
DAHL.

WHAT  
?



I  
SAID  
AT  
ONCE...







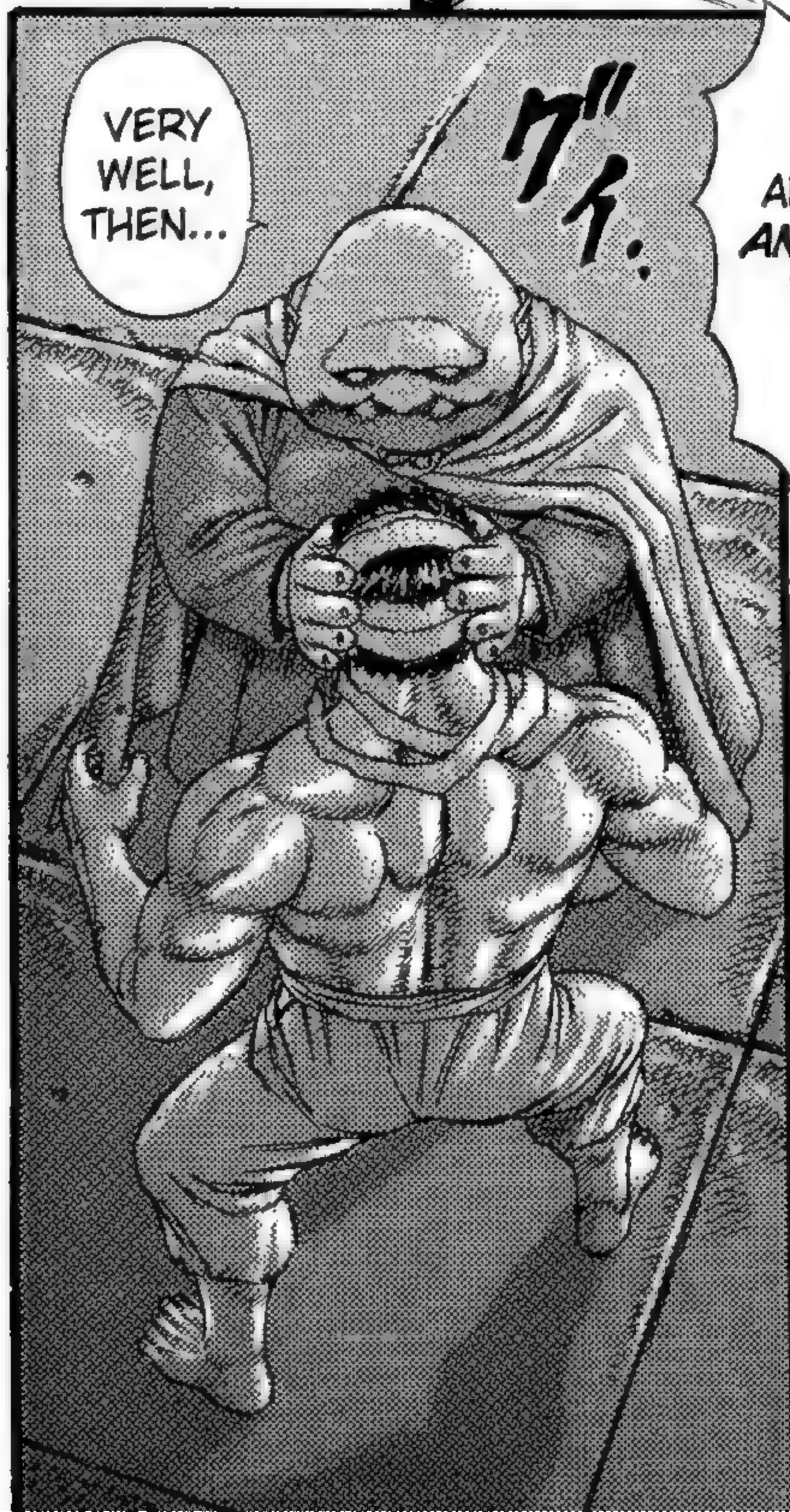


YOU  
DESPISE  
HIM, DON'T  
YOU, THE  
BLACK  
SWORDS-  
MAN?



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VERY  
WELL,  
THEN...

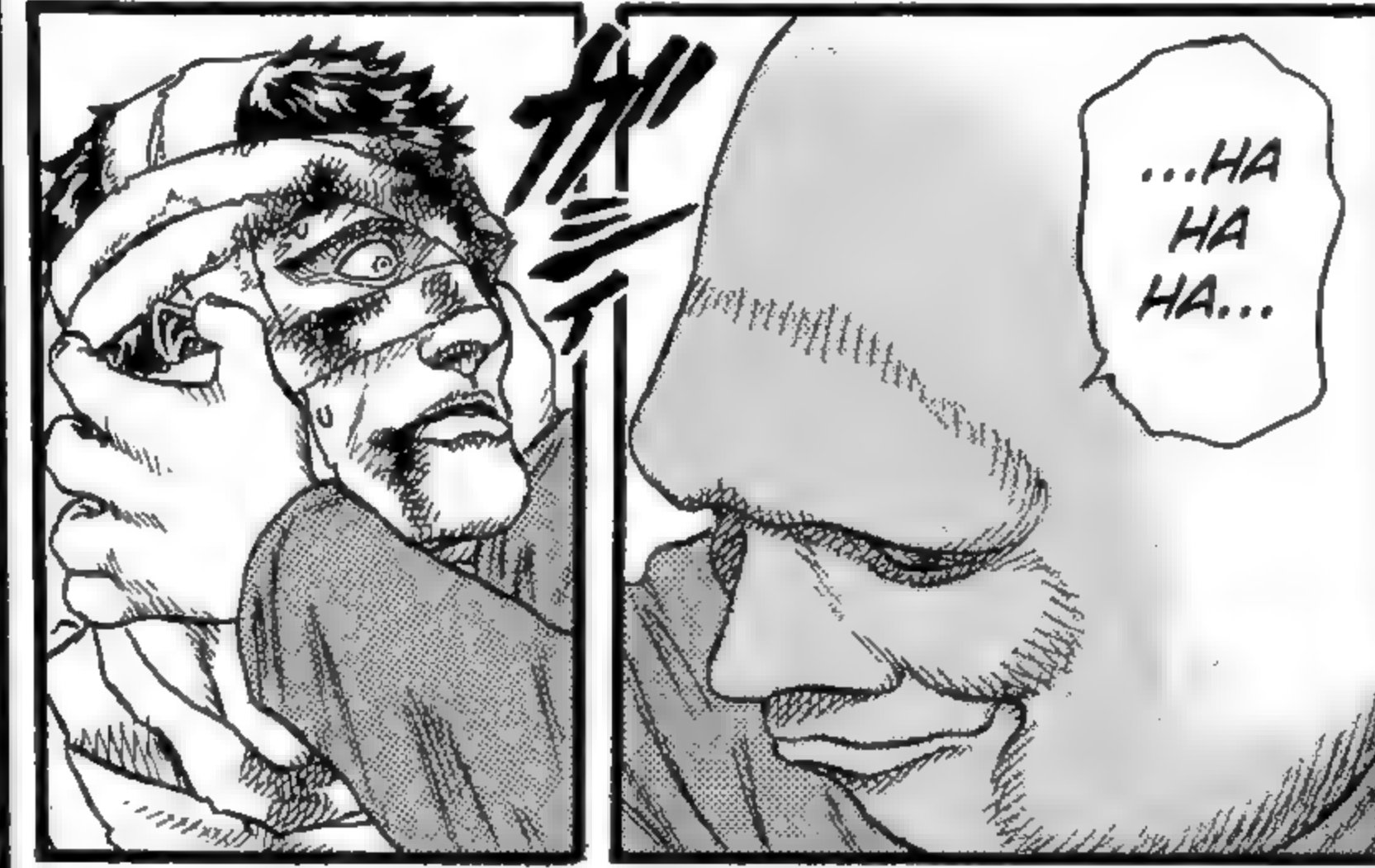
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I'D DO  
ANYTHING!  
ANYTHING...  
TO KILL  
HIM!



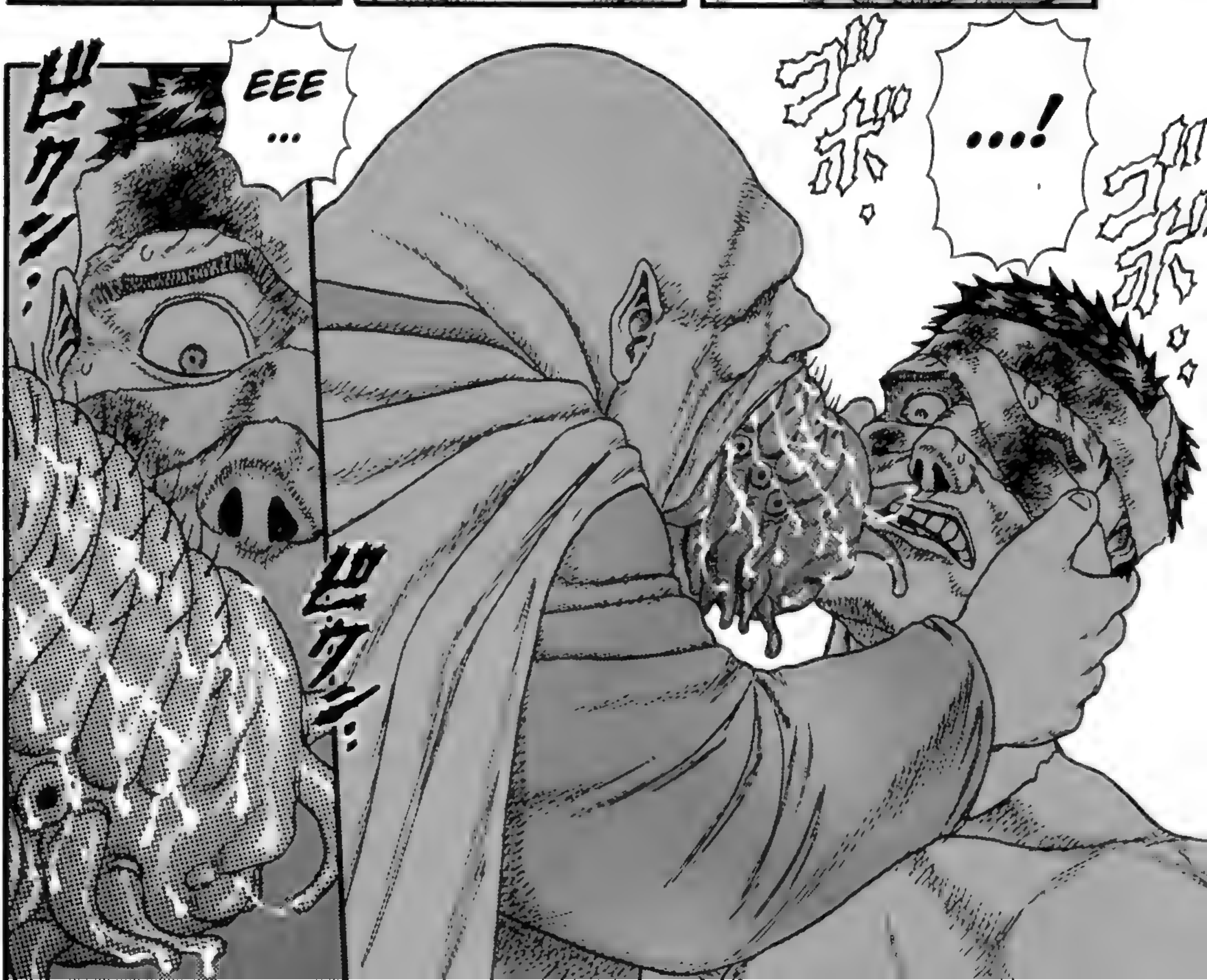
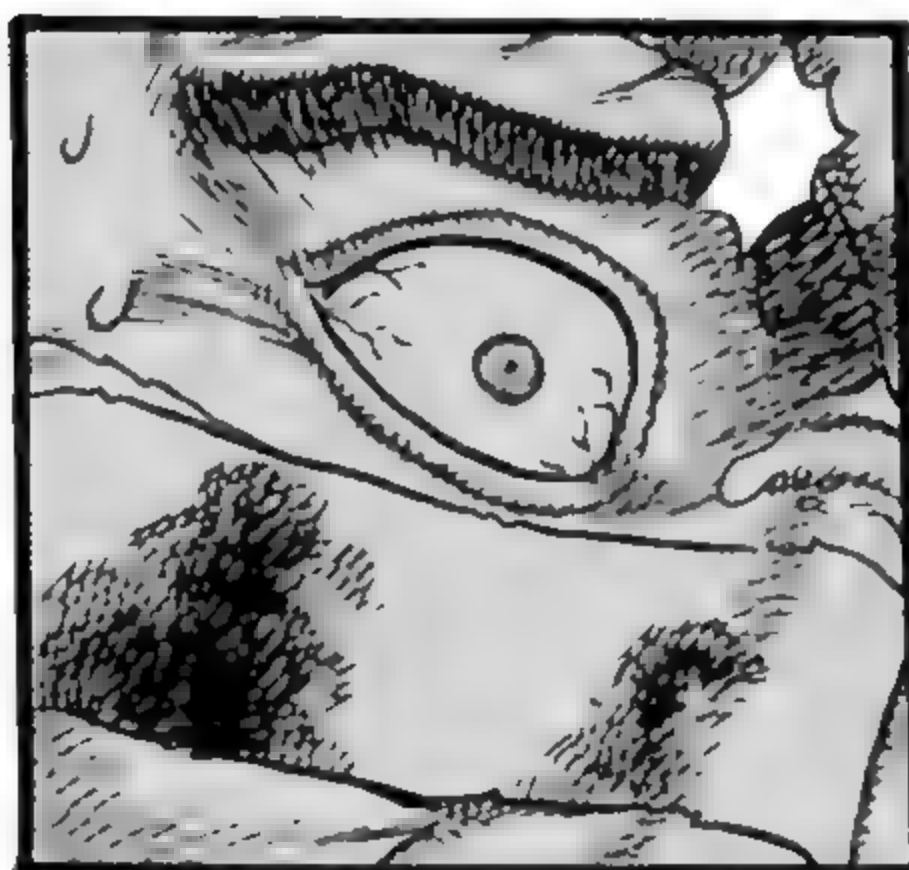
YES  
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...HA  
HA  
HA...

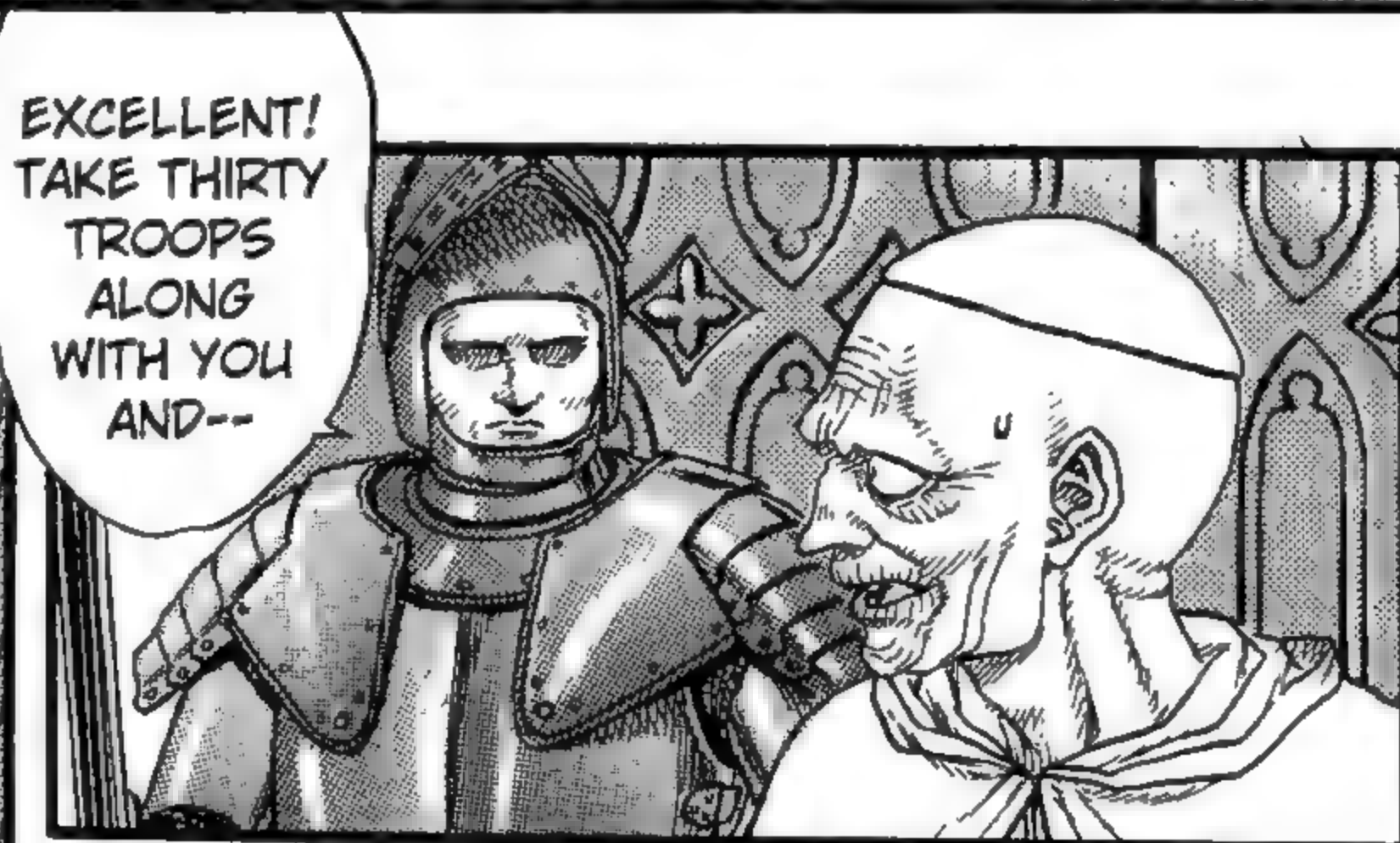
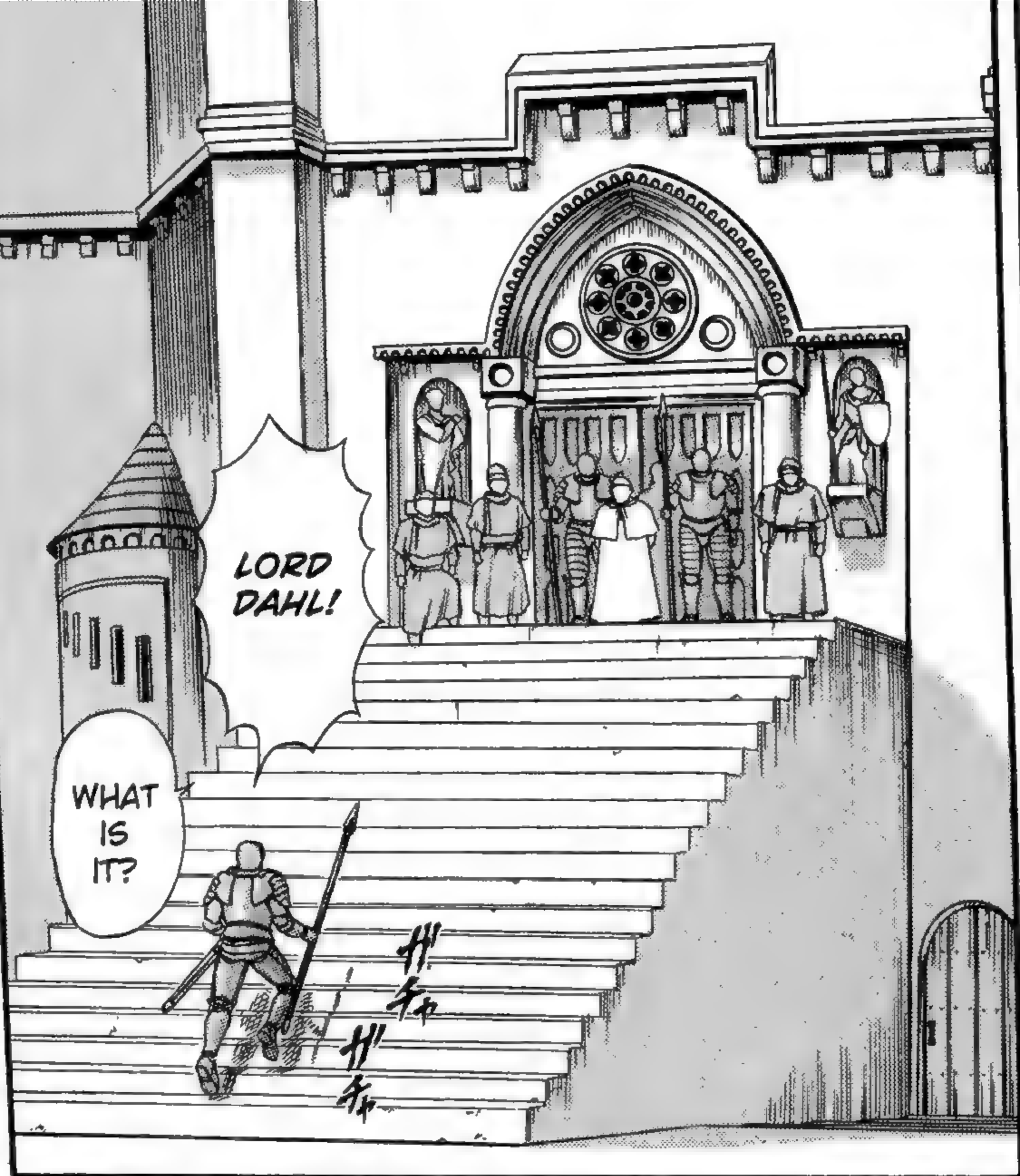
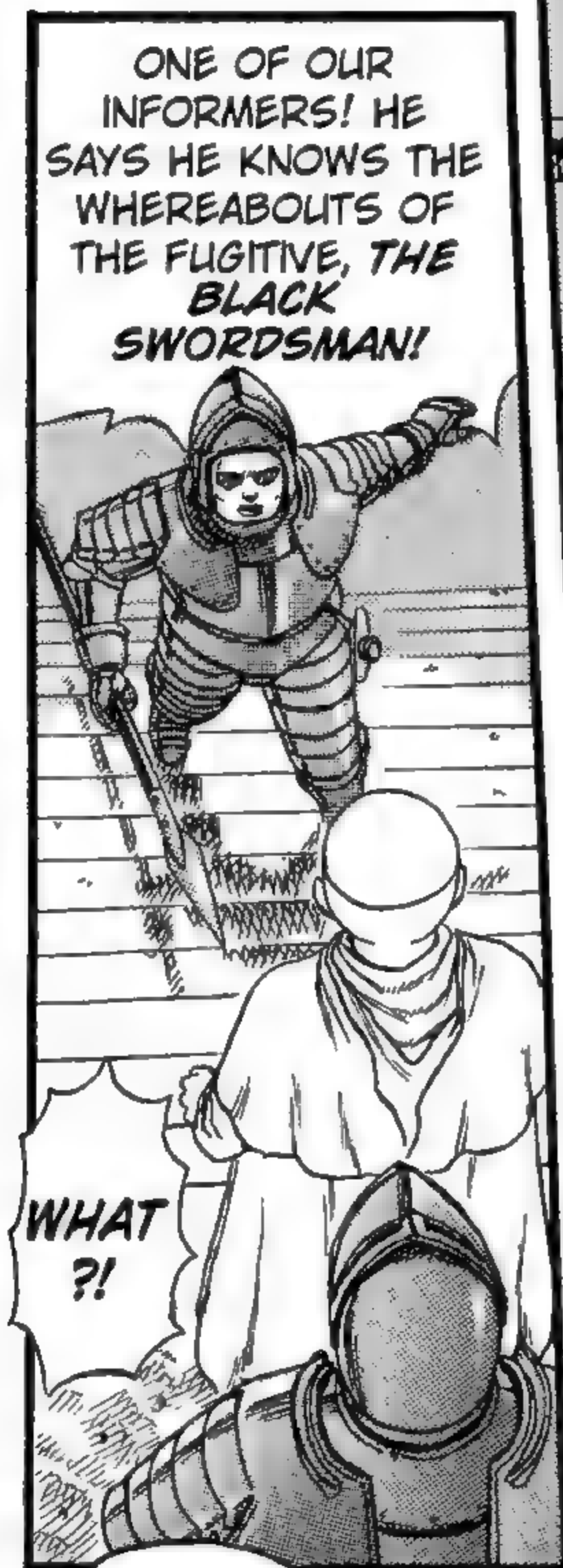








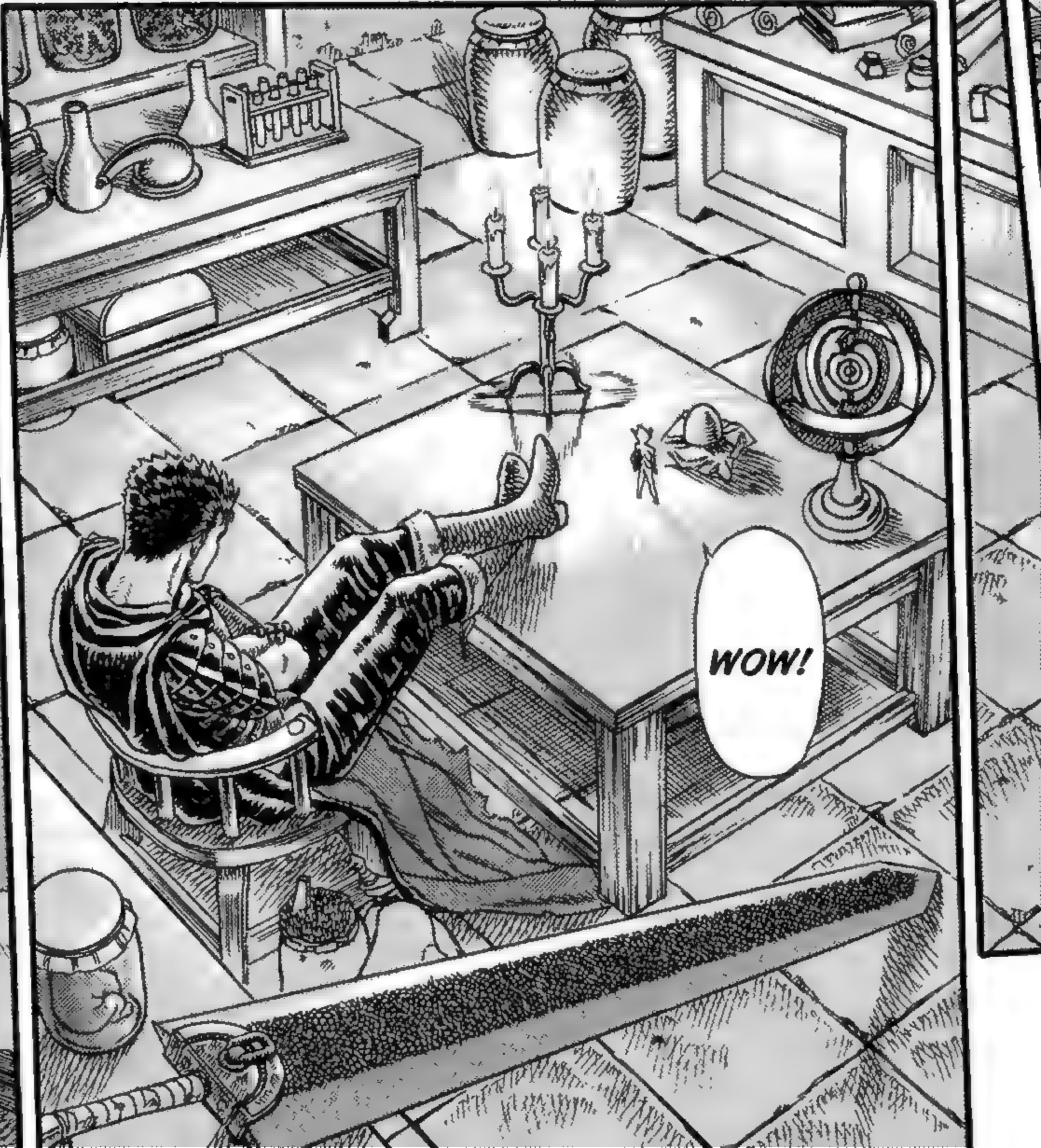
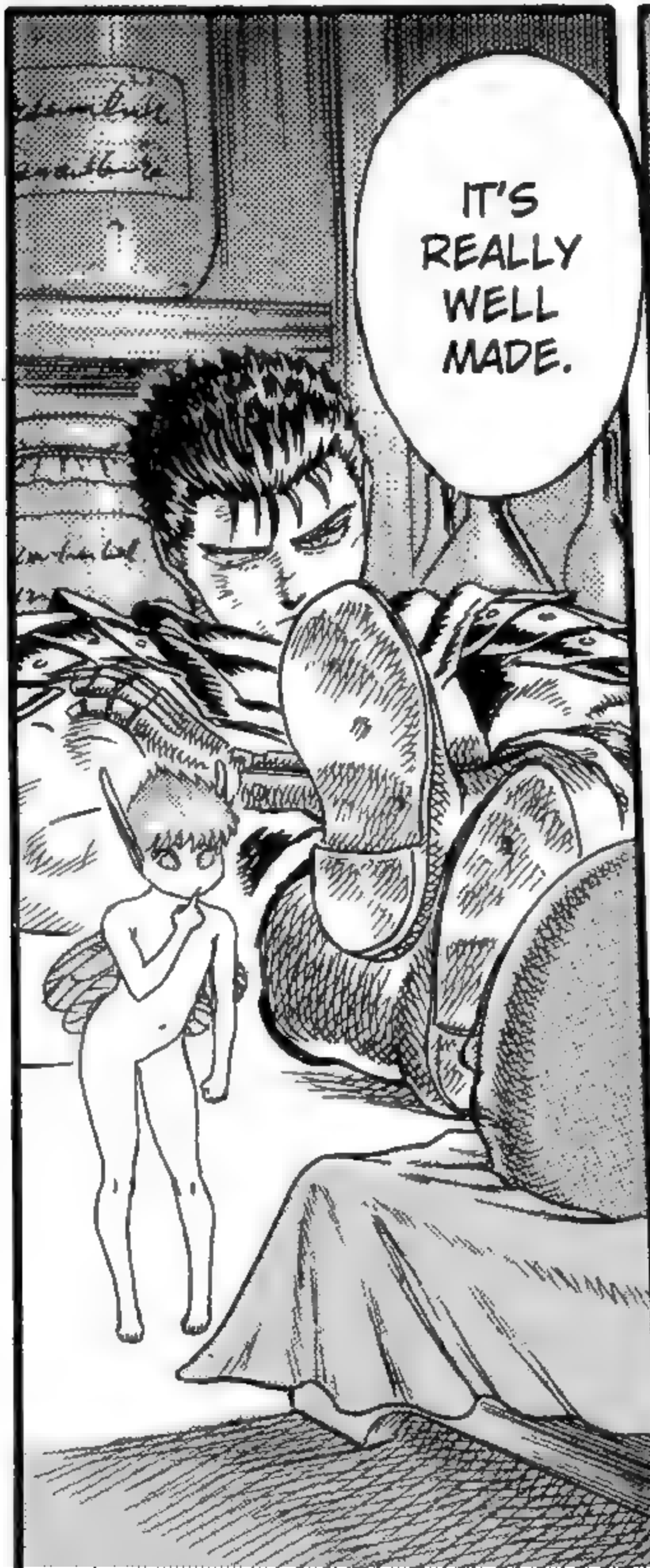
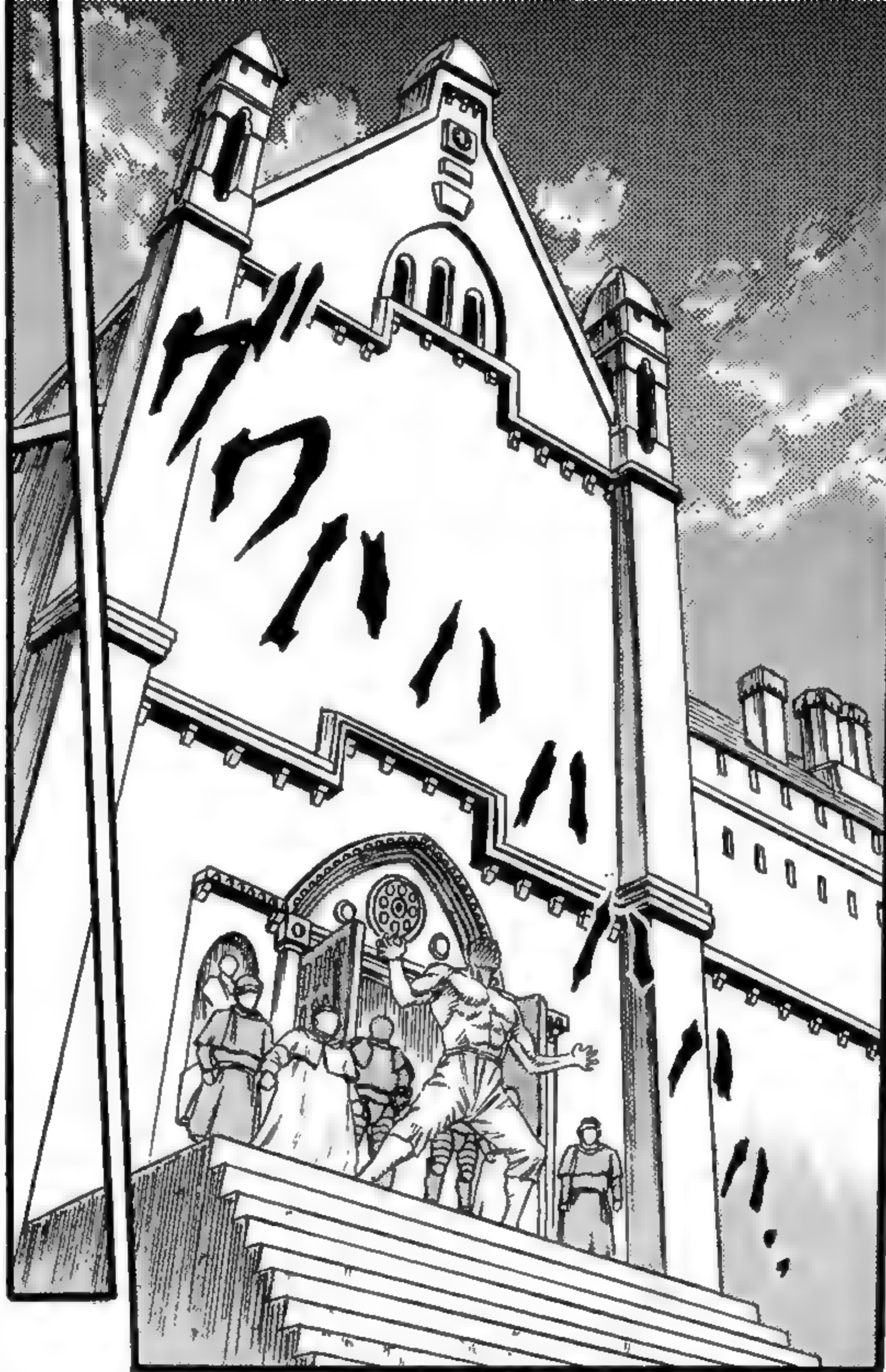




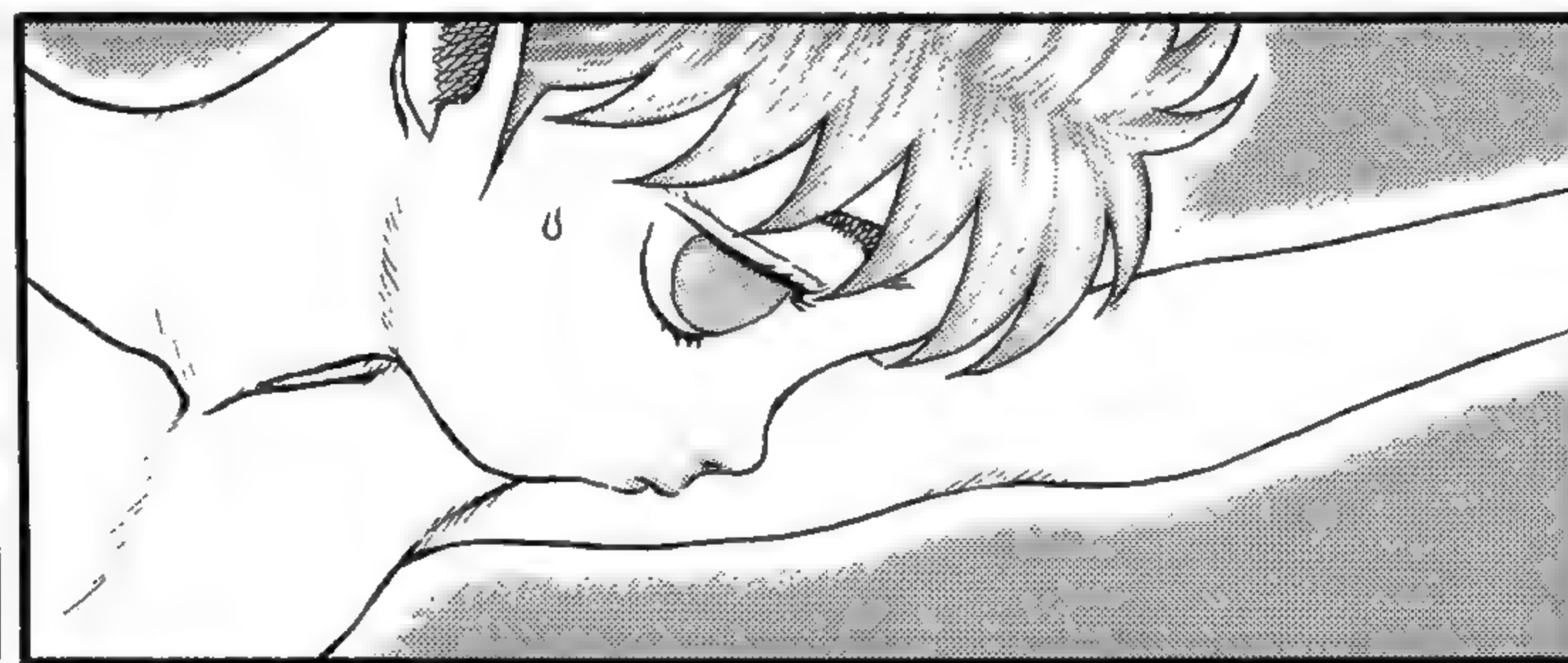
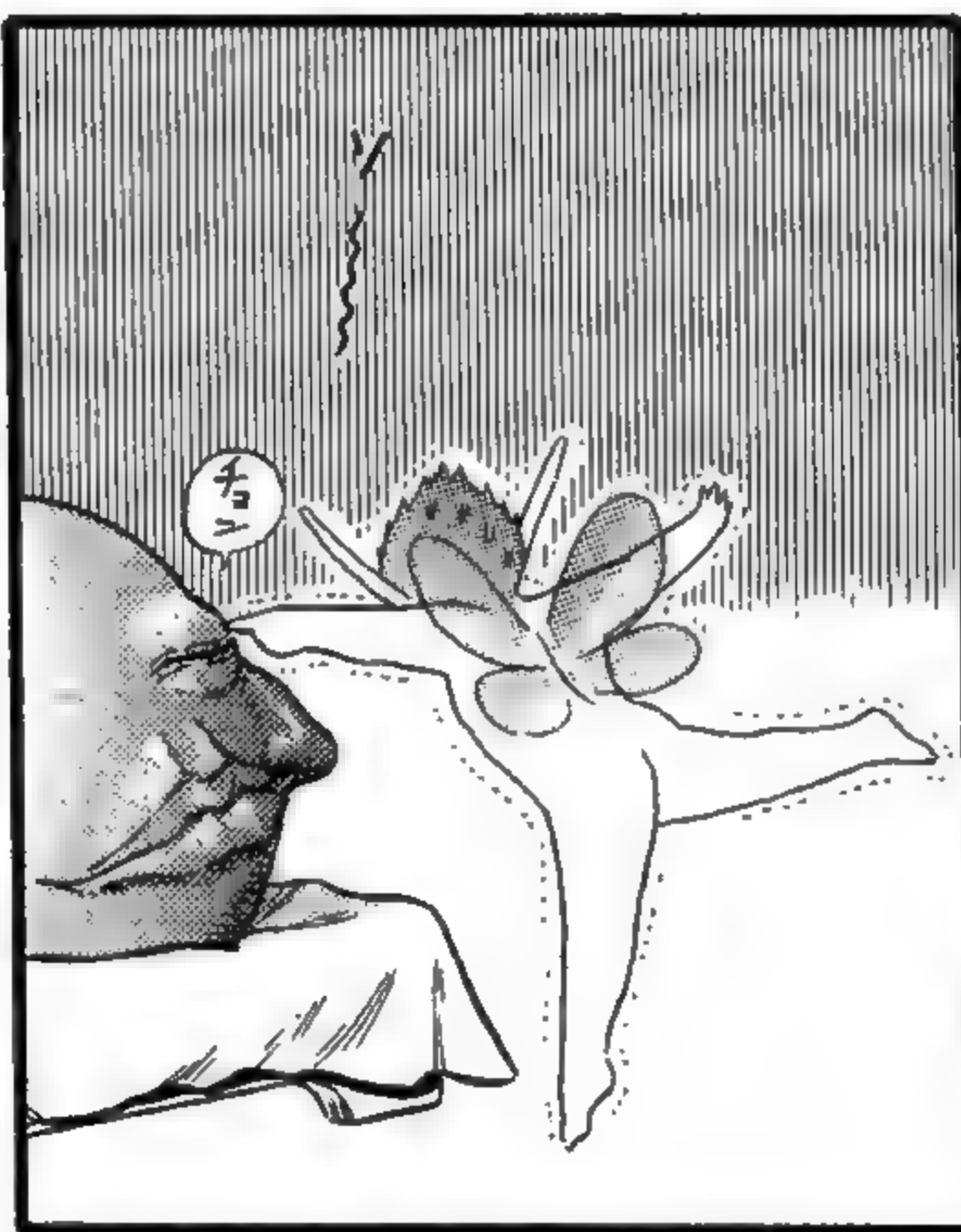
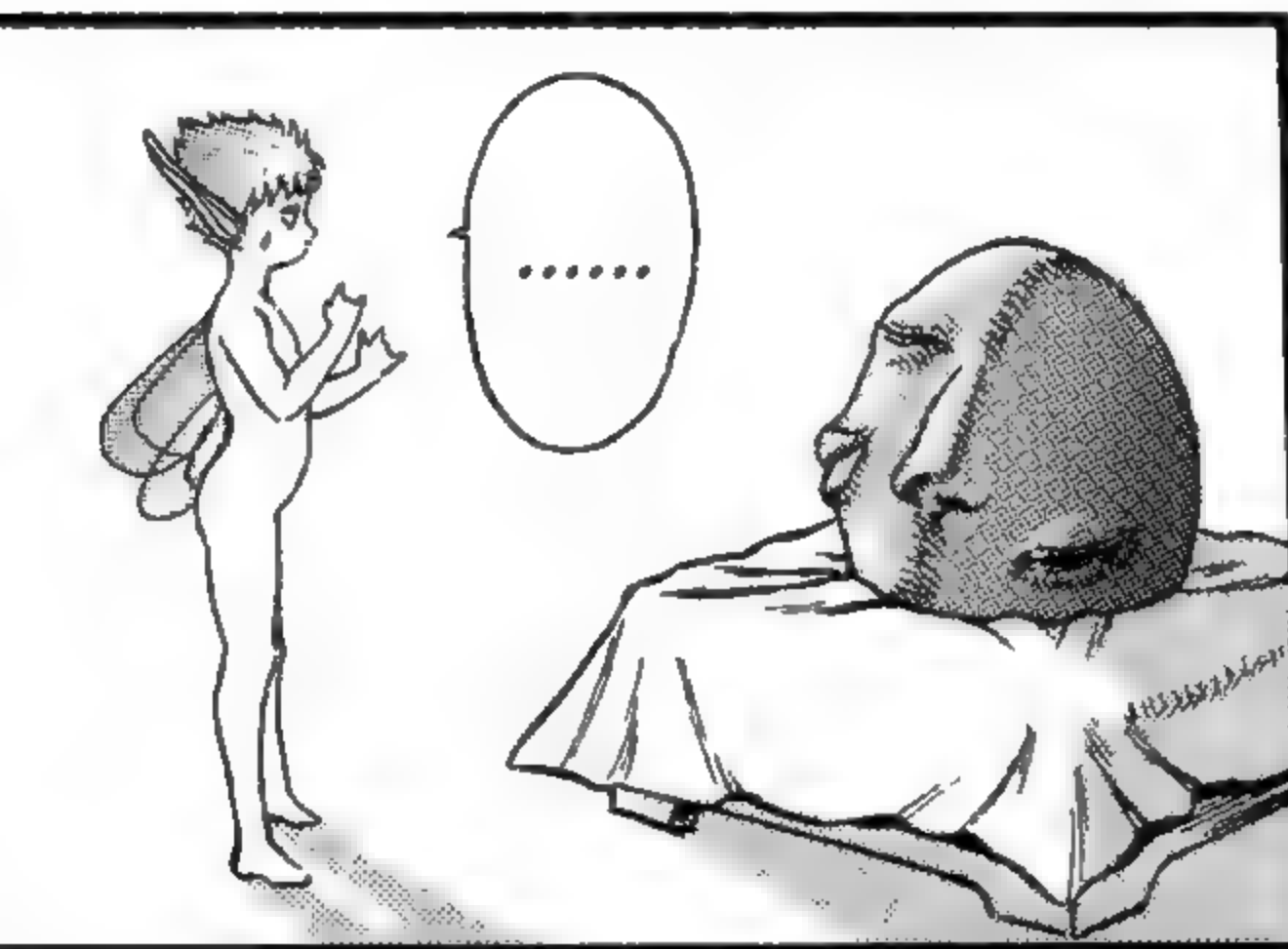
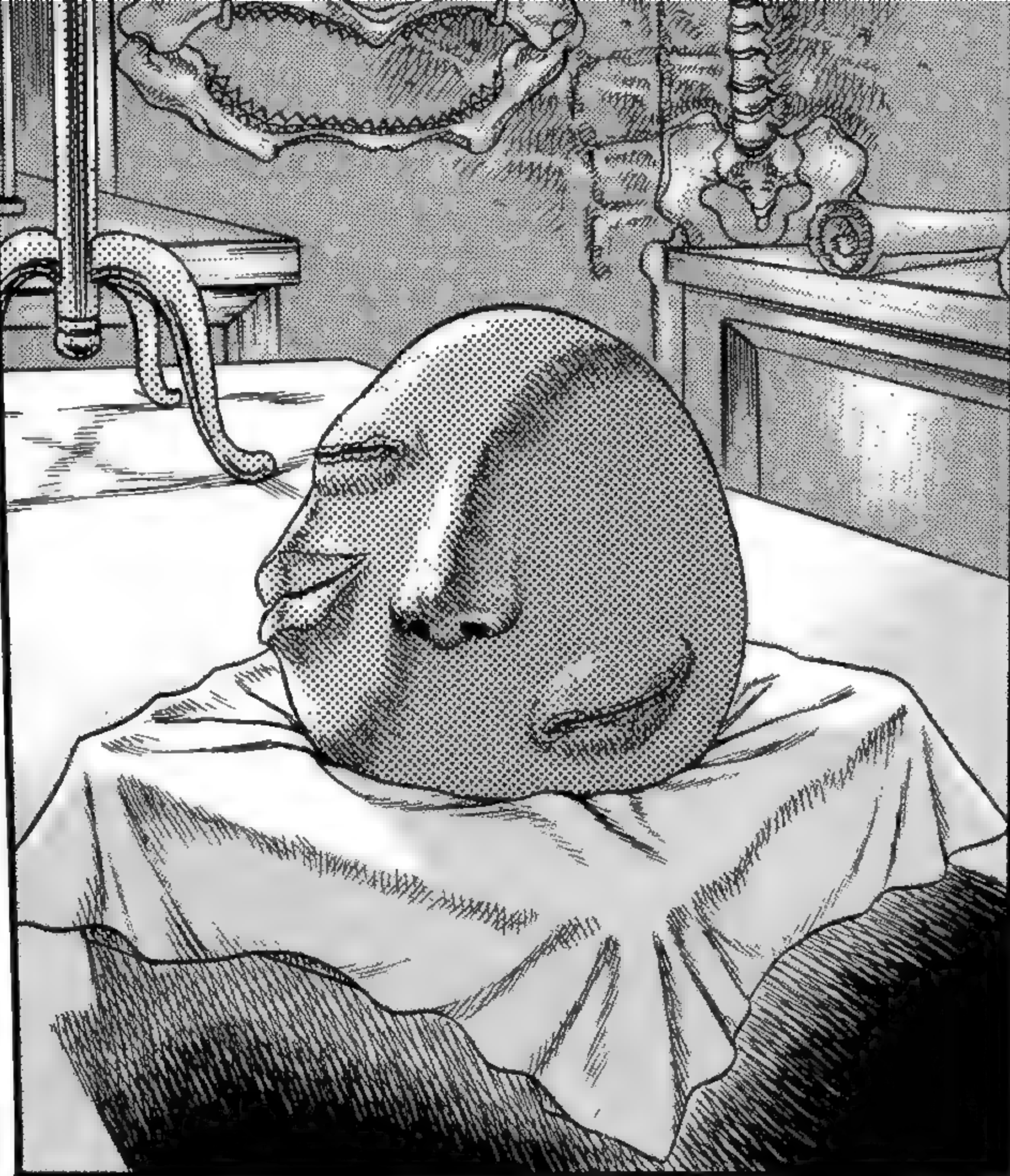




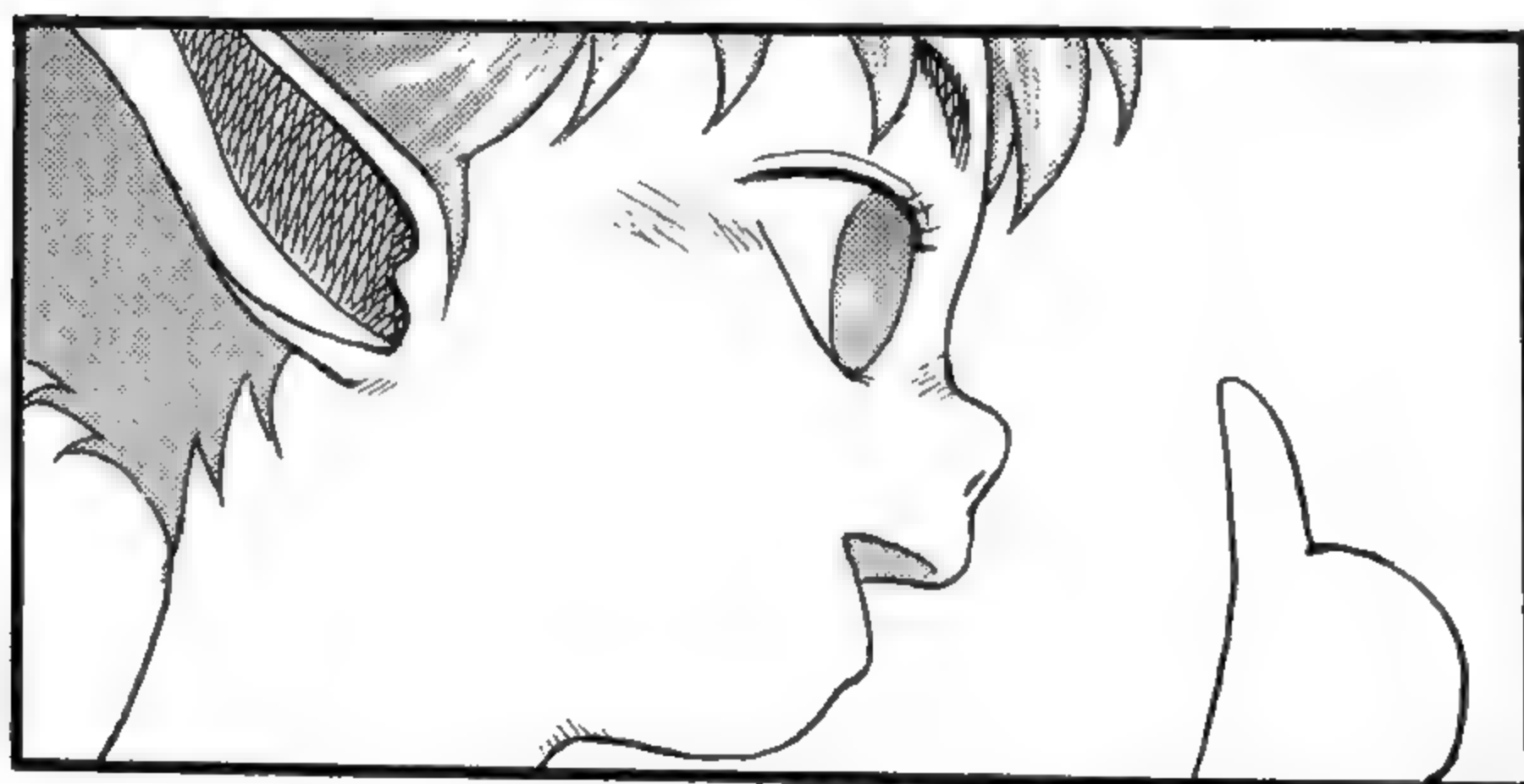




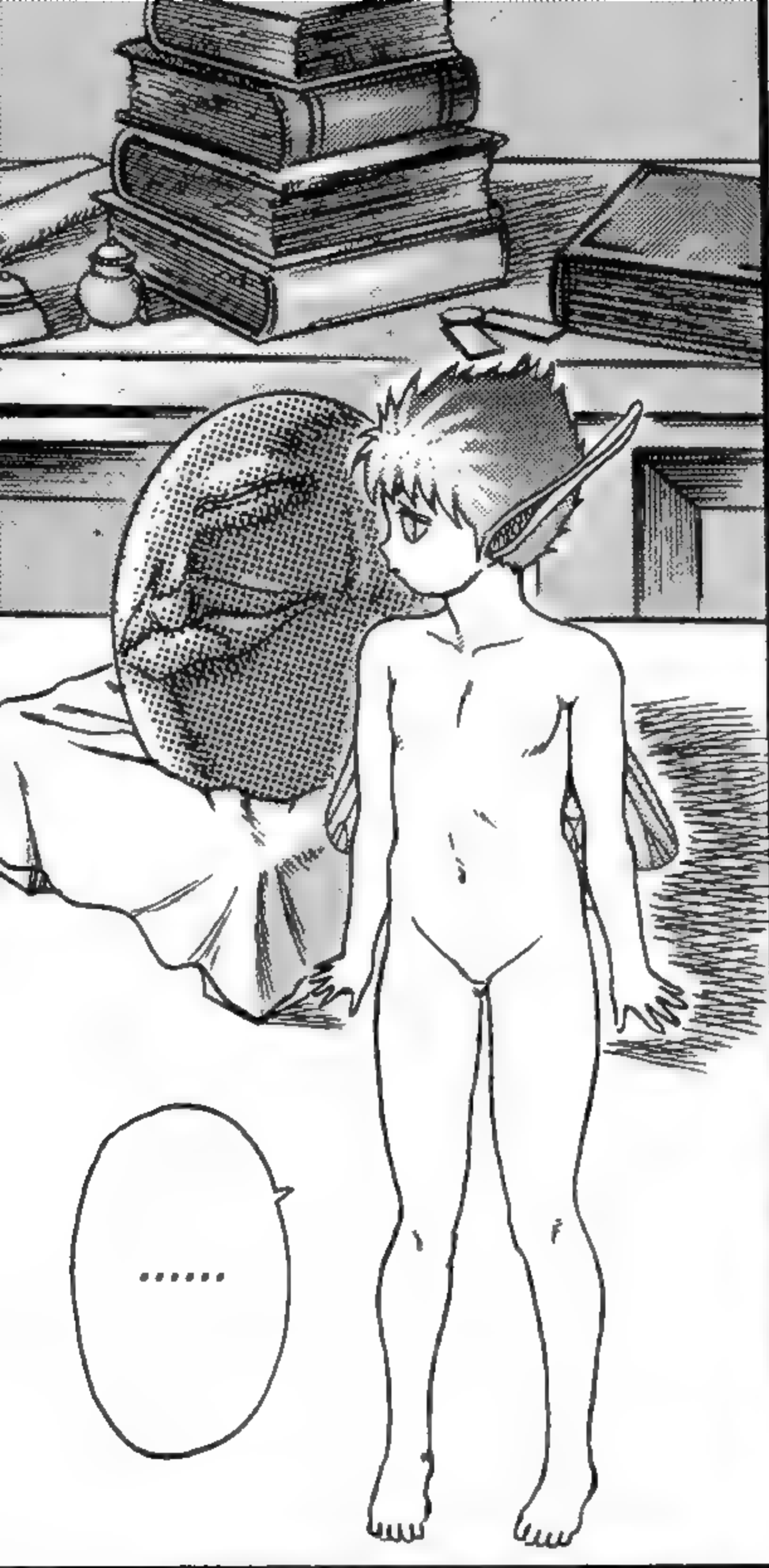




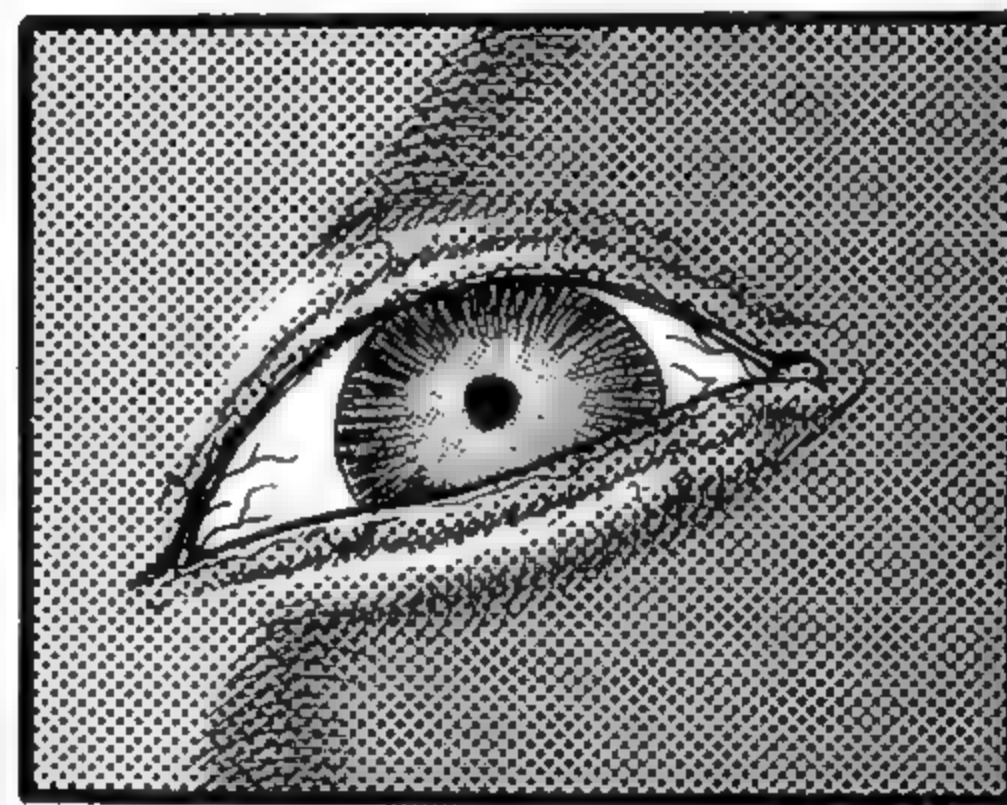
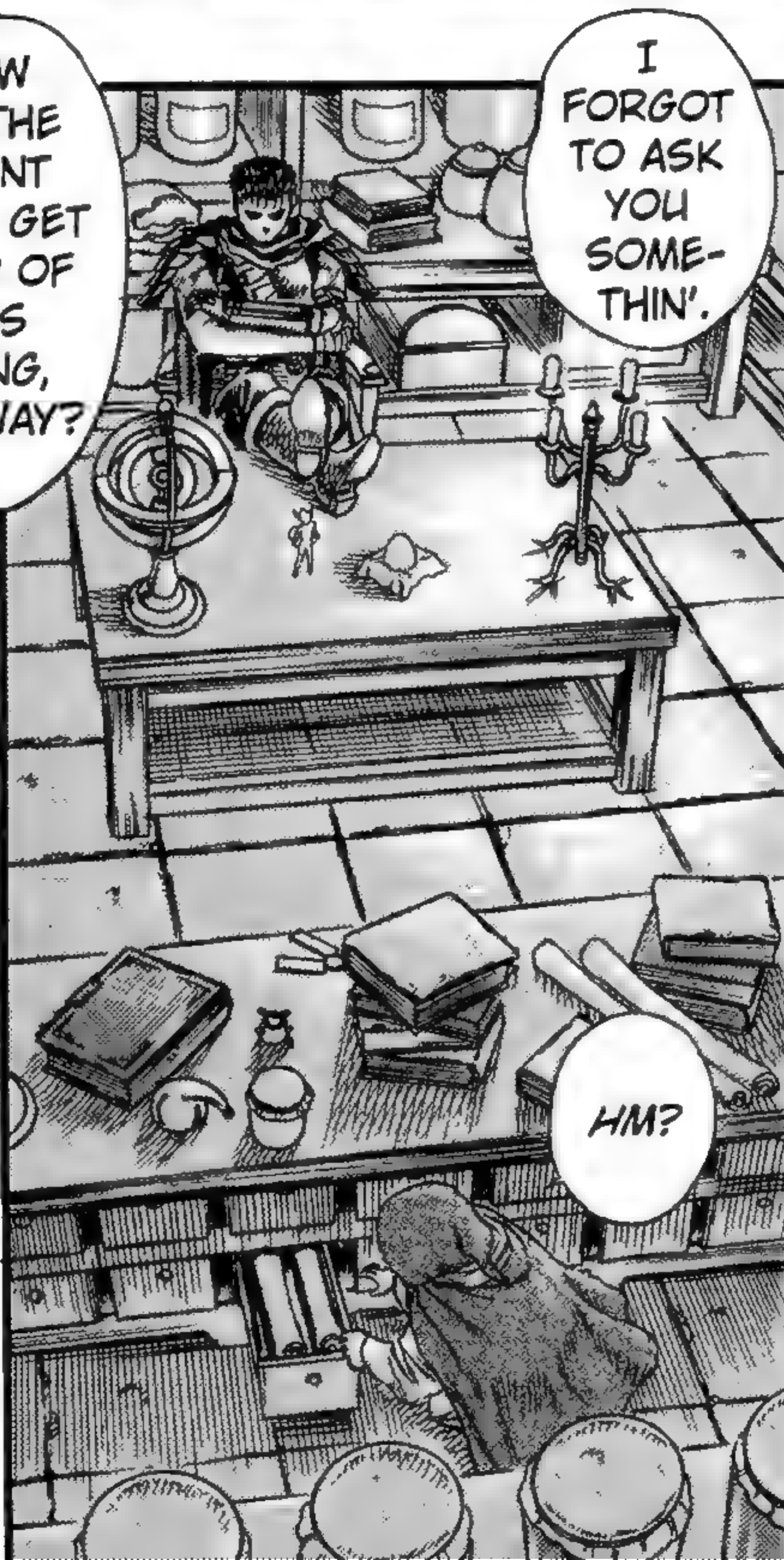








HOW DID THE COUNT FIRST GET HOLD OF THIS THING, ANYWAY?



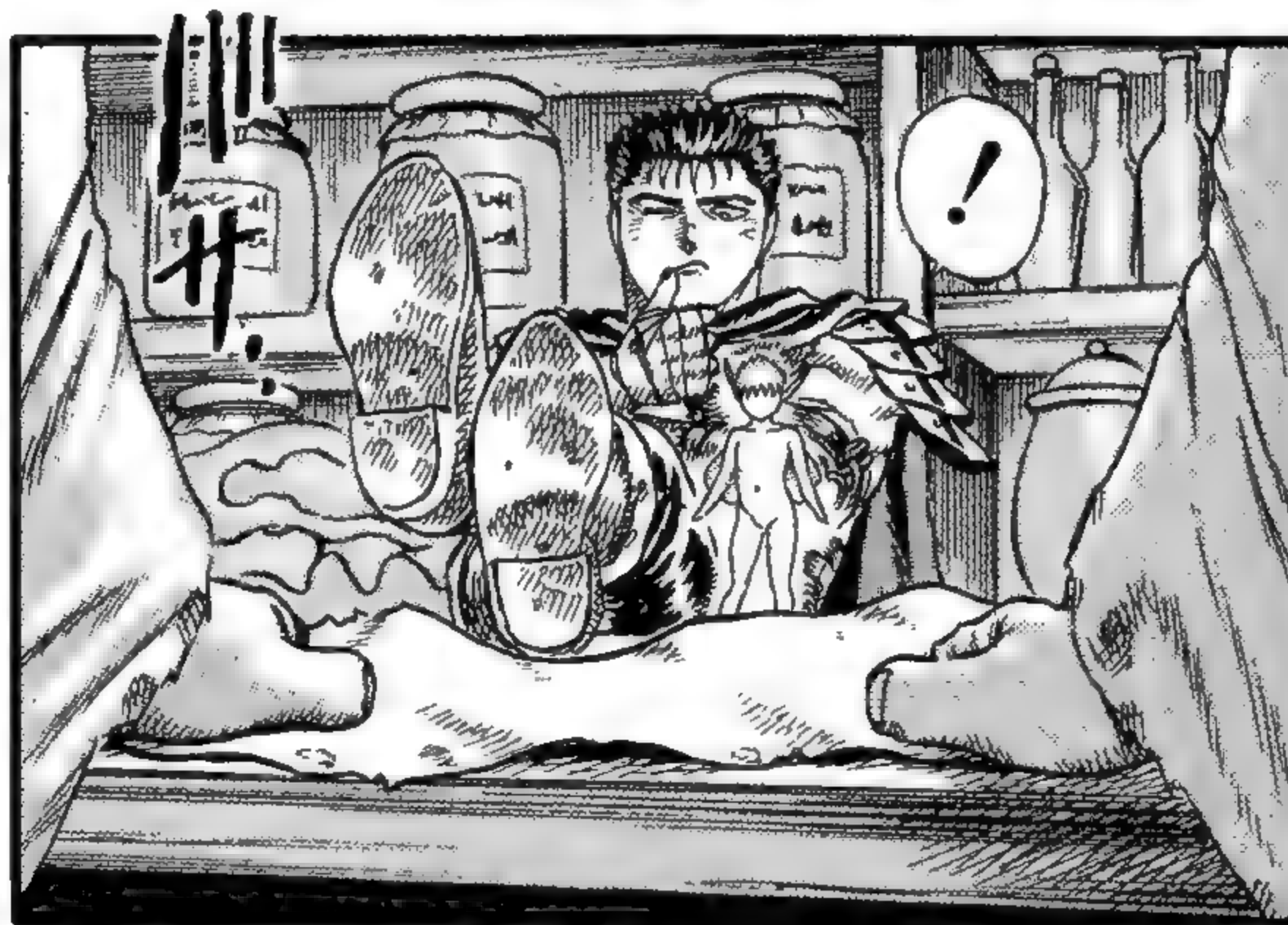
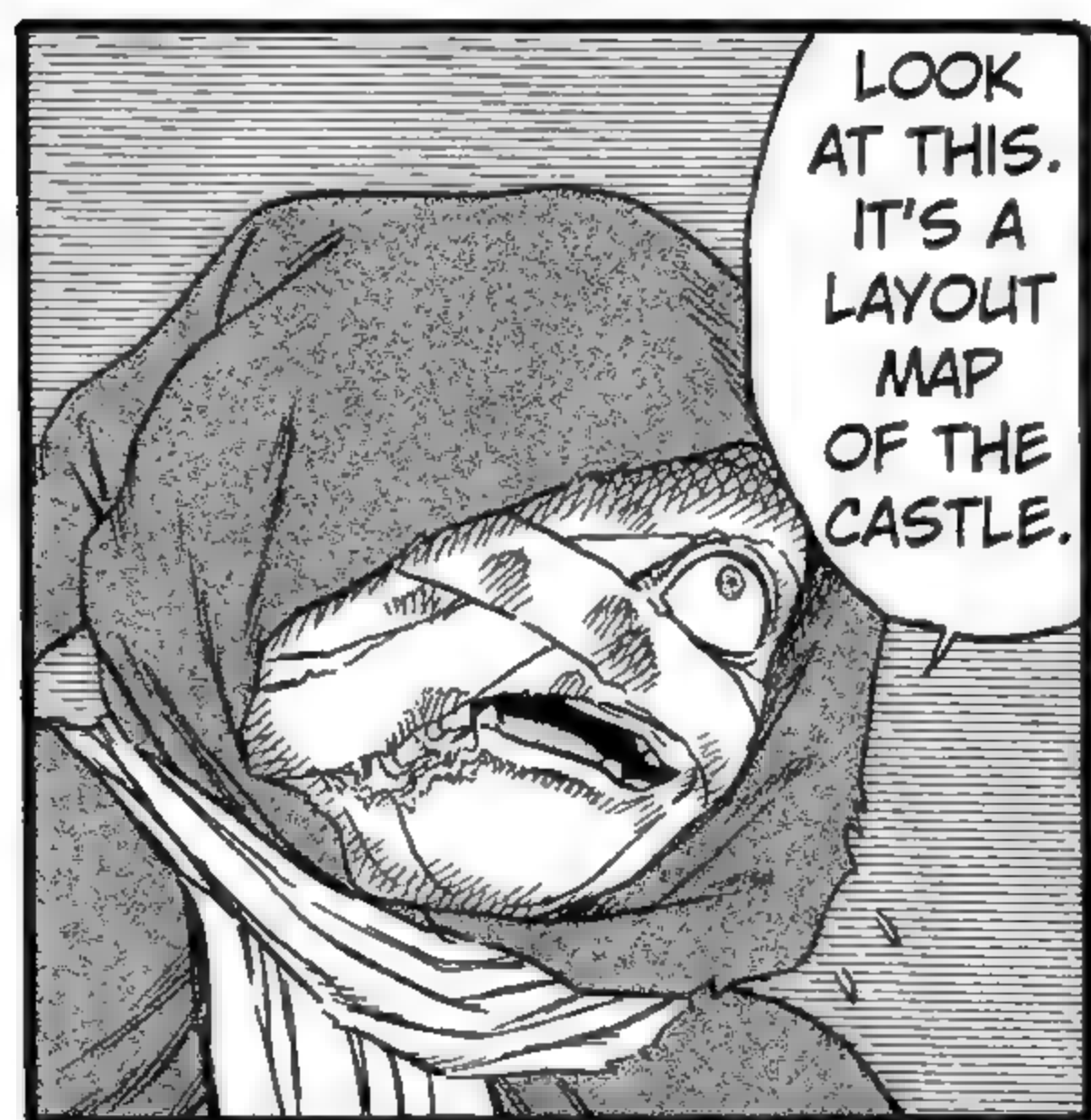
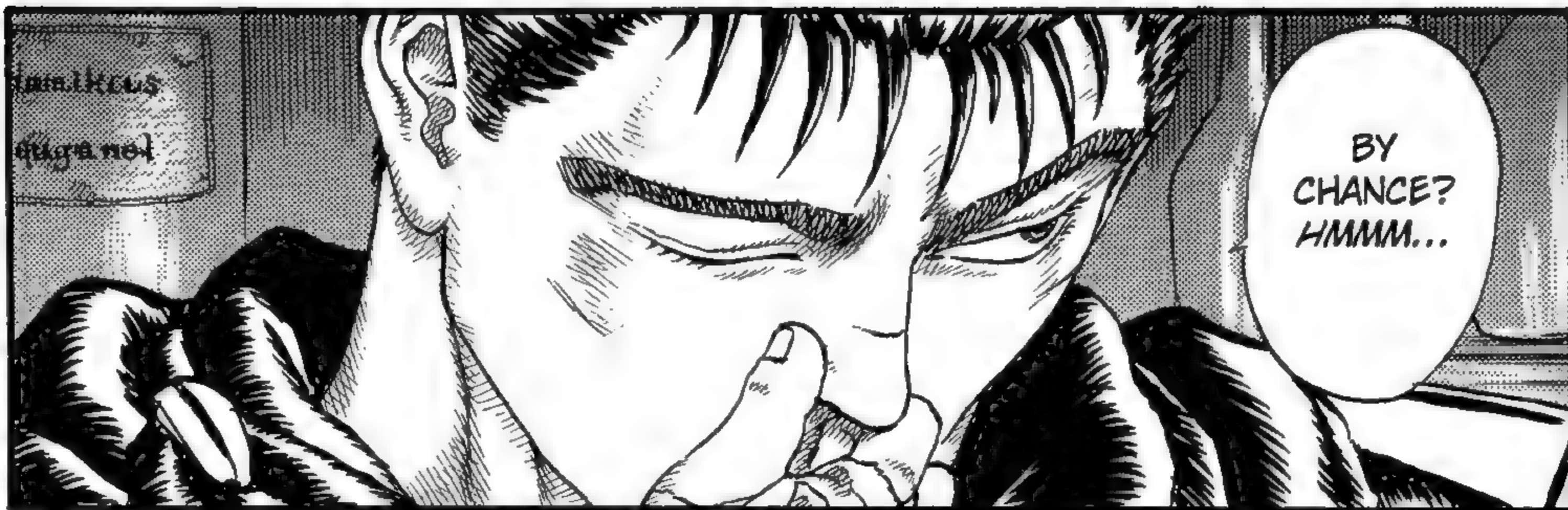




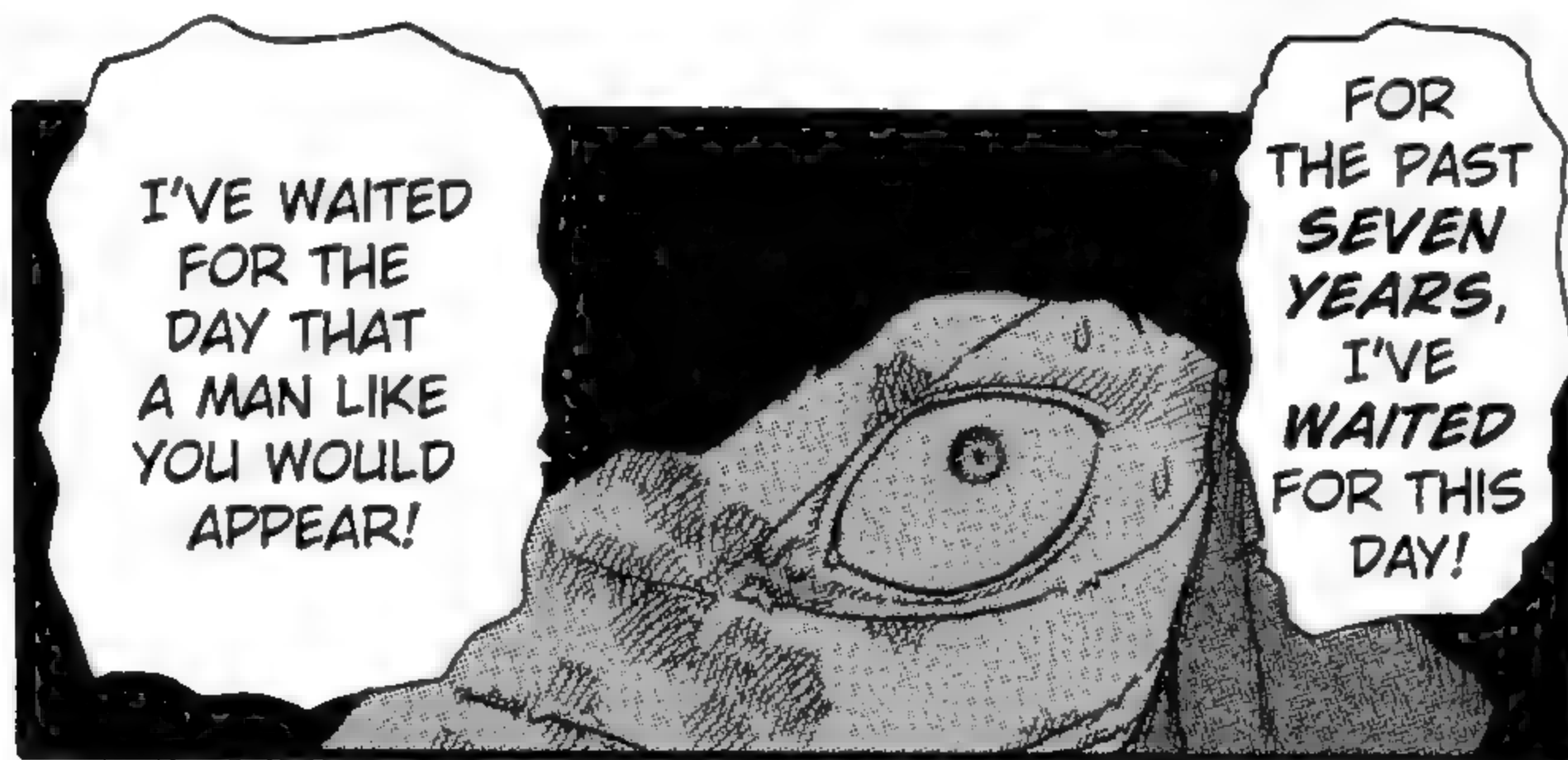
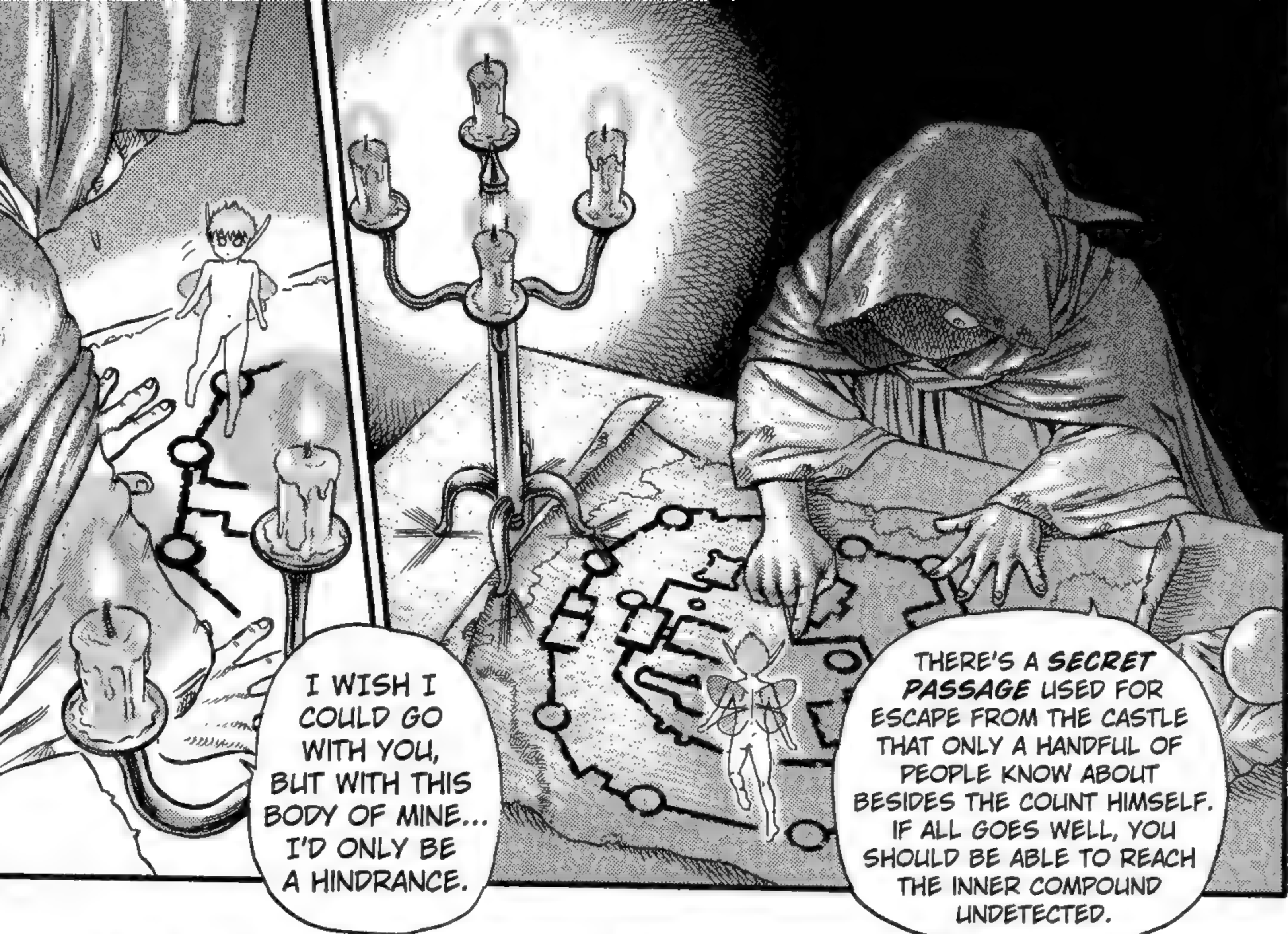
"ALL THEY SAID  
WAS THAT THEY  
FOUND IT IN A  
TOWN BAZAAR  
SOMEWHERE  
TO THE EAST."

"EVEN THE  
MERCHANTS  
KNEW  
NOTHING  
ABOUT IT."

"HE HAPPENED TO  
BUY IT FROM A  
CARAVAN OF  
MERCHANTS THAT  
STOPPED BY THE  
CASTLE ONE DAY."















....!!

アッ!!

HEY!  
WHAT'S  
THE BIG  
IDEA?!



GUTS  
?!



LISTEN,  
YOU....!!

アッ!!



YOU'RE  
THE ONE  
WHO LOOKS  
LIKE A  
MONSTER.



DON'T  
YOU  
EVER  
TOUCH  
ME LIKE  
THAT  
AGAIN,  
UNDER-  
STAND?!

YOU  
MAKE  
ME  
SICK...



HAVE  
YOU SEEN  
YOURSELF IN  
THE MIRROR  
LATELY?

AT LEAST  
MAKE  
YOURSELF  
A LITTLE  
MORE  
PRESENT-  
ABLE!





HOW COME  
YOU'RE  
ALWAYS  
PICKIN' ON  
PEOPLE LIKE  
THAT?!

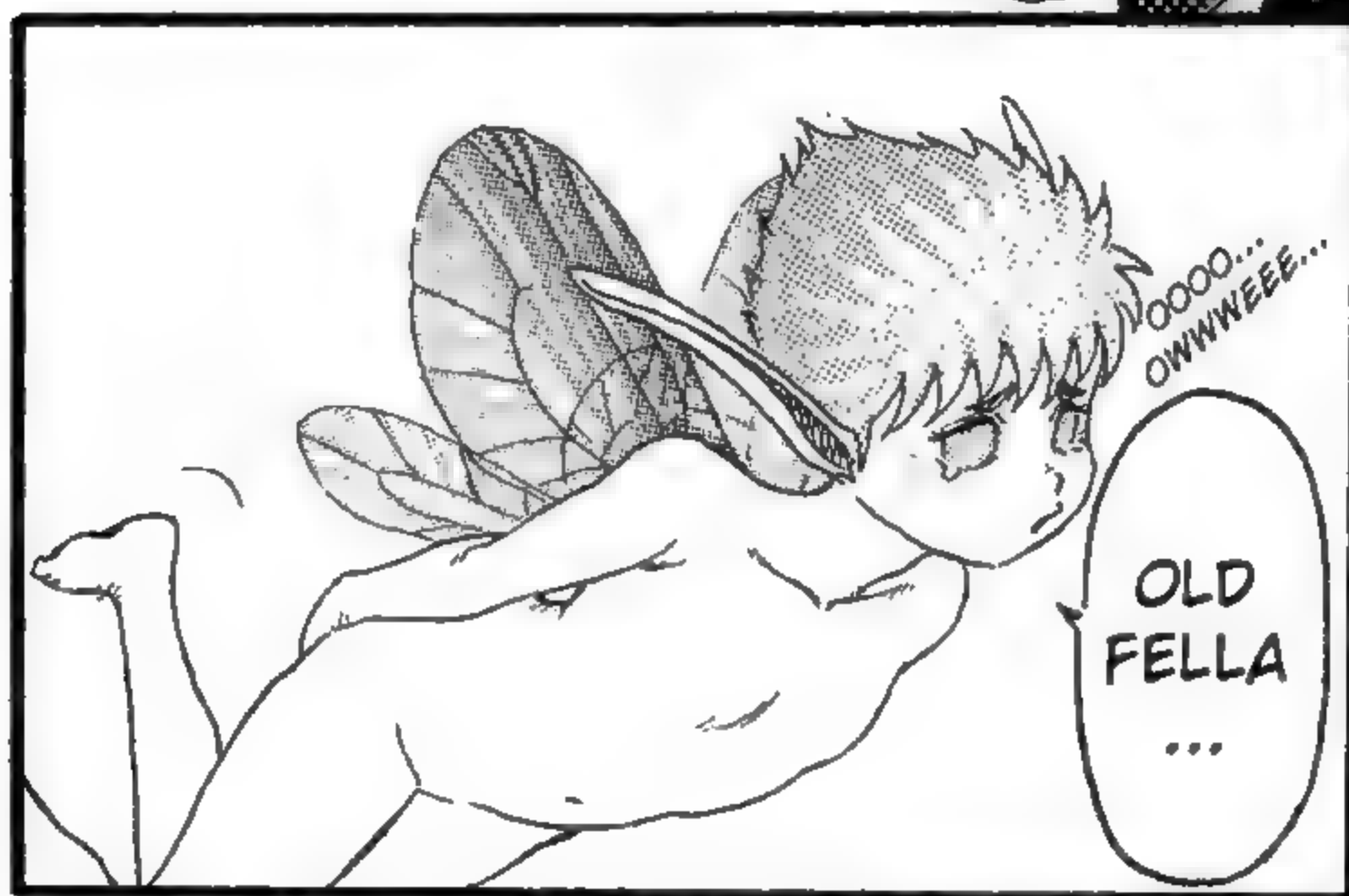
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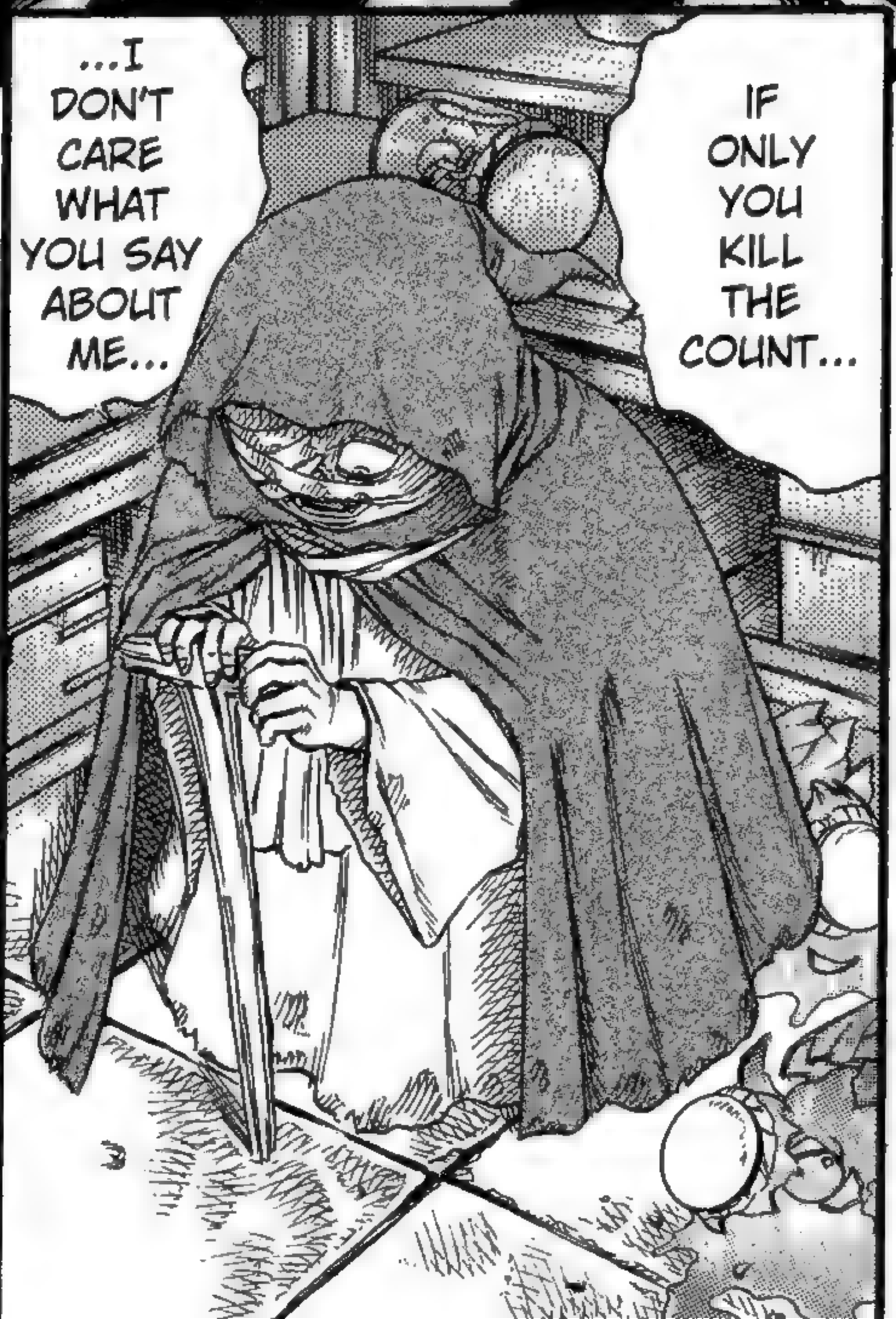
Y-YOU  
JERK!!

I-IT'S  
OKAY...  
I DON'T  
MIND...



NOOOO...  
OWWWEEE...

OLD  
FELLA  
...



...I  
DON'T  
CARE  
WHAT  
YOU SAY  
ABOUT  
ME...

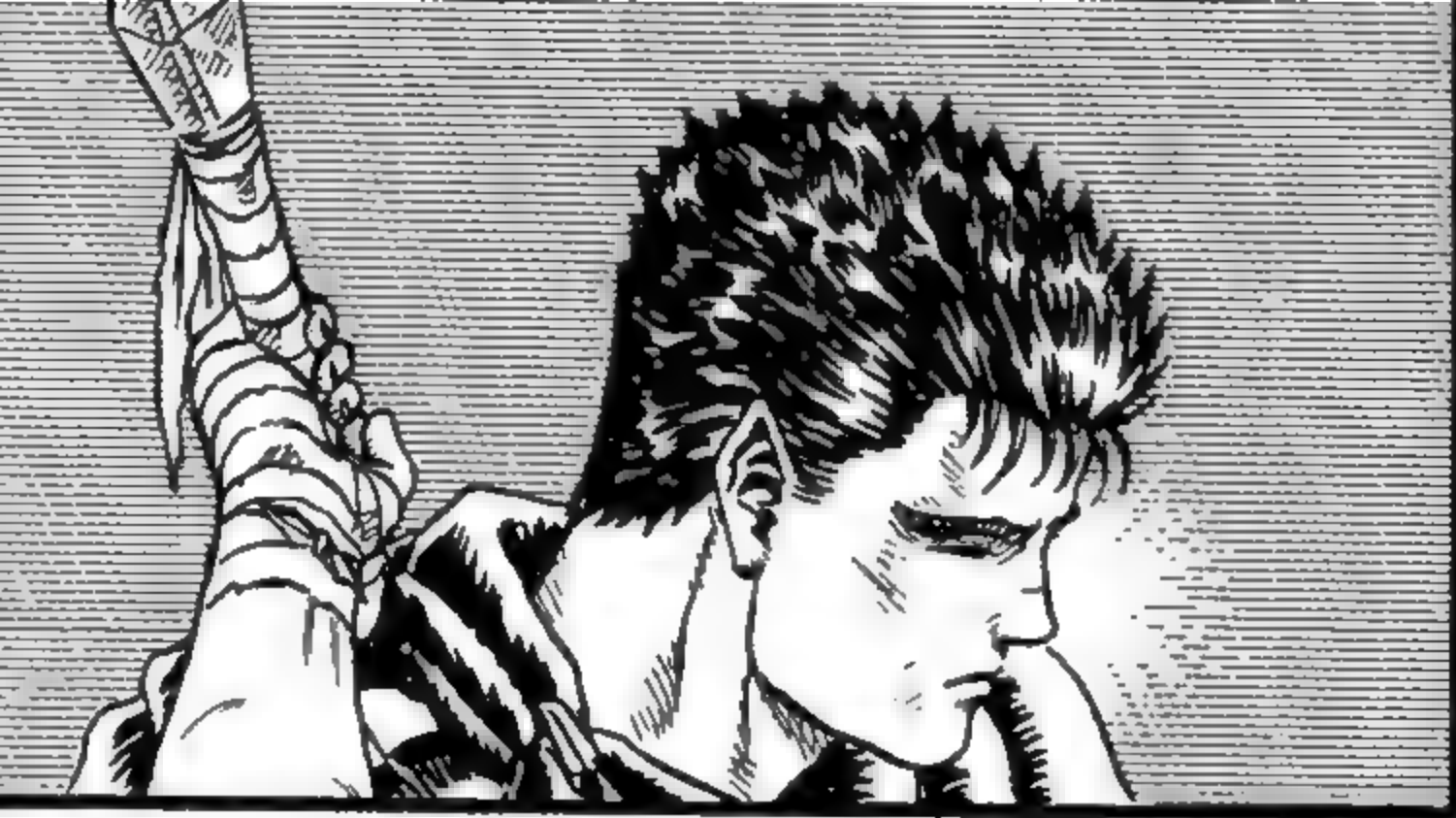
IF  
ONLY  
YOU  
KILL  
THE  
COUNT...



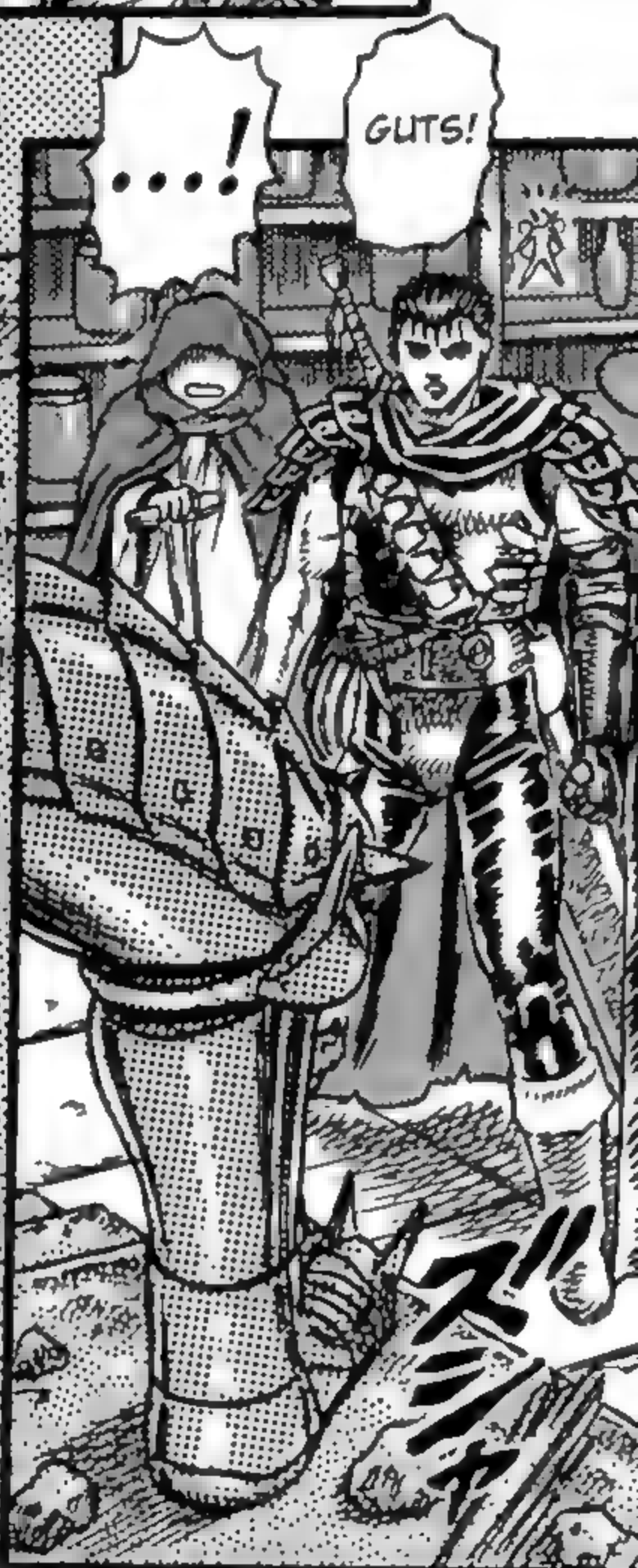
SPINE-  
LESS  
BASTARD.

HMPH!





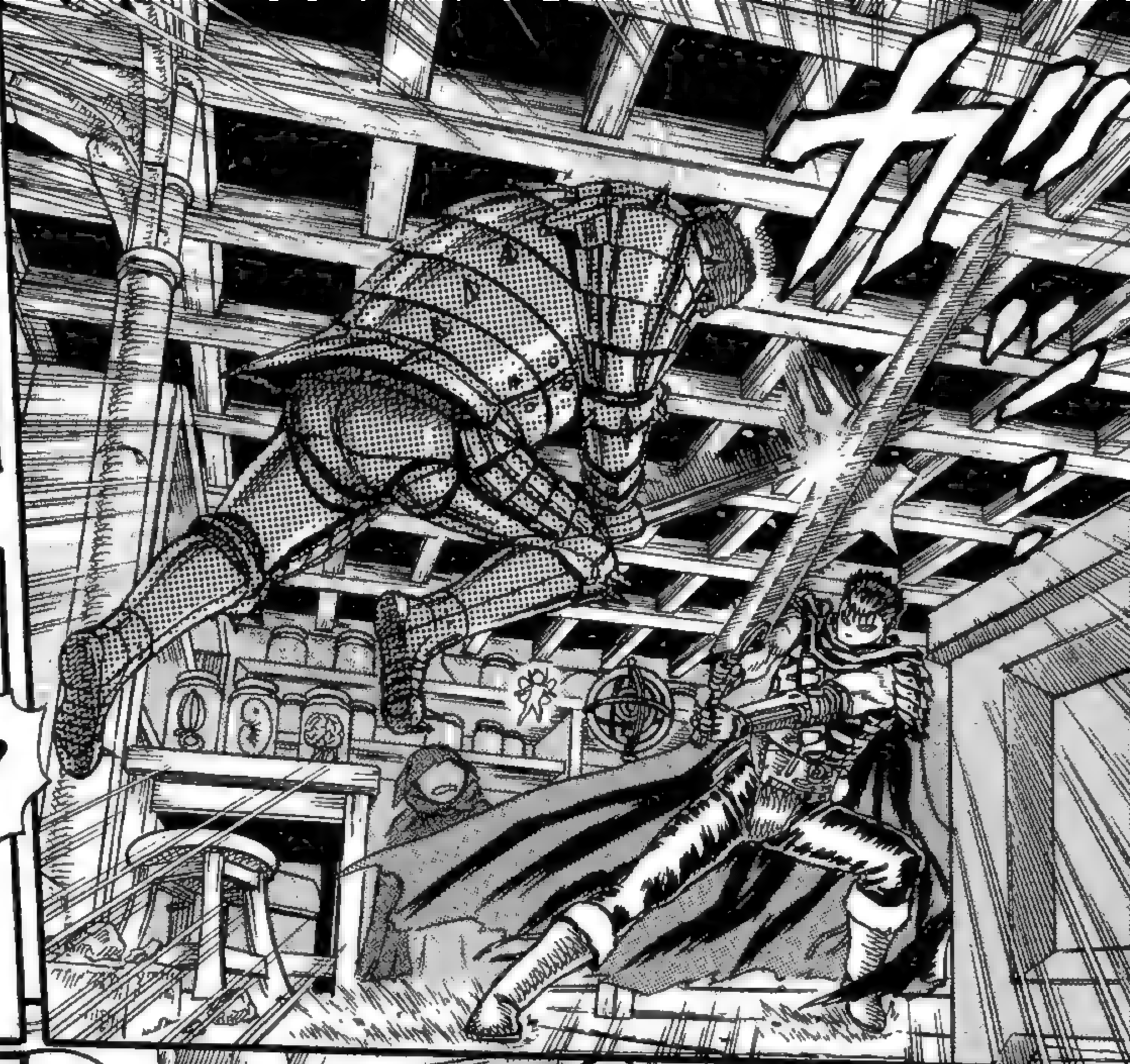




















**FOOL...  
I'LL HACK  
YOU TO  
PIECES!**



**GLITS!**



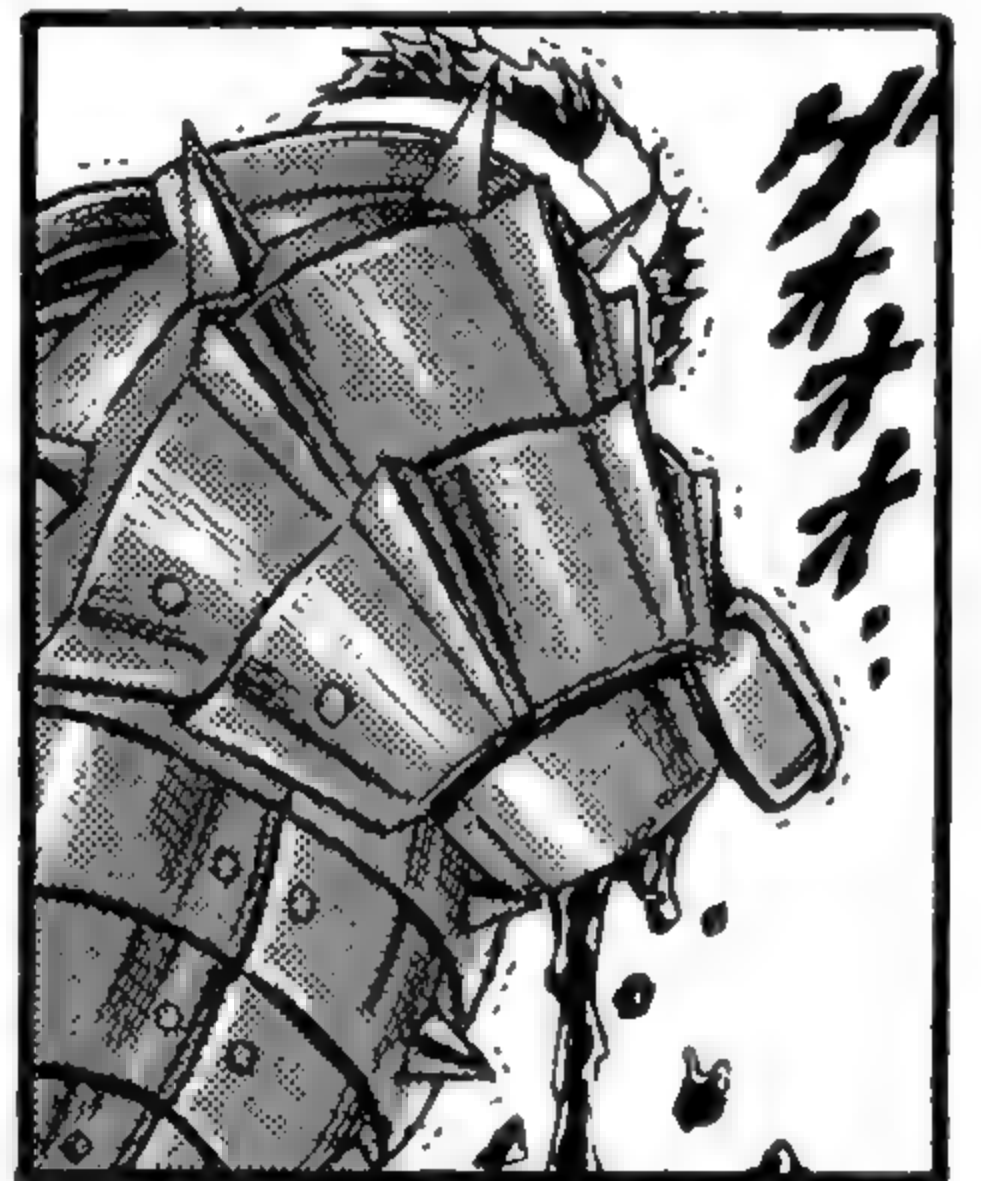
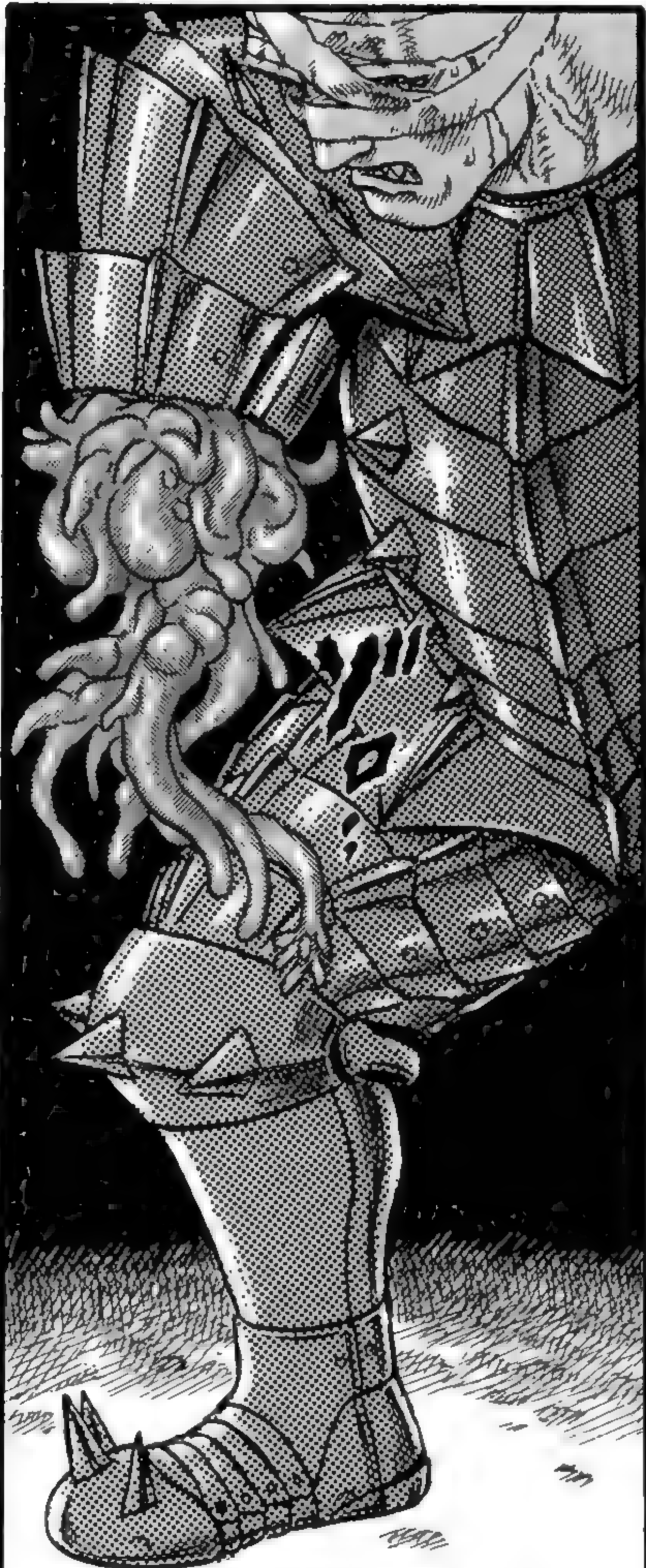




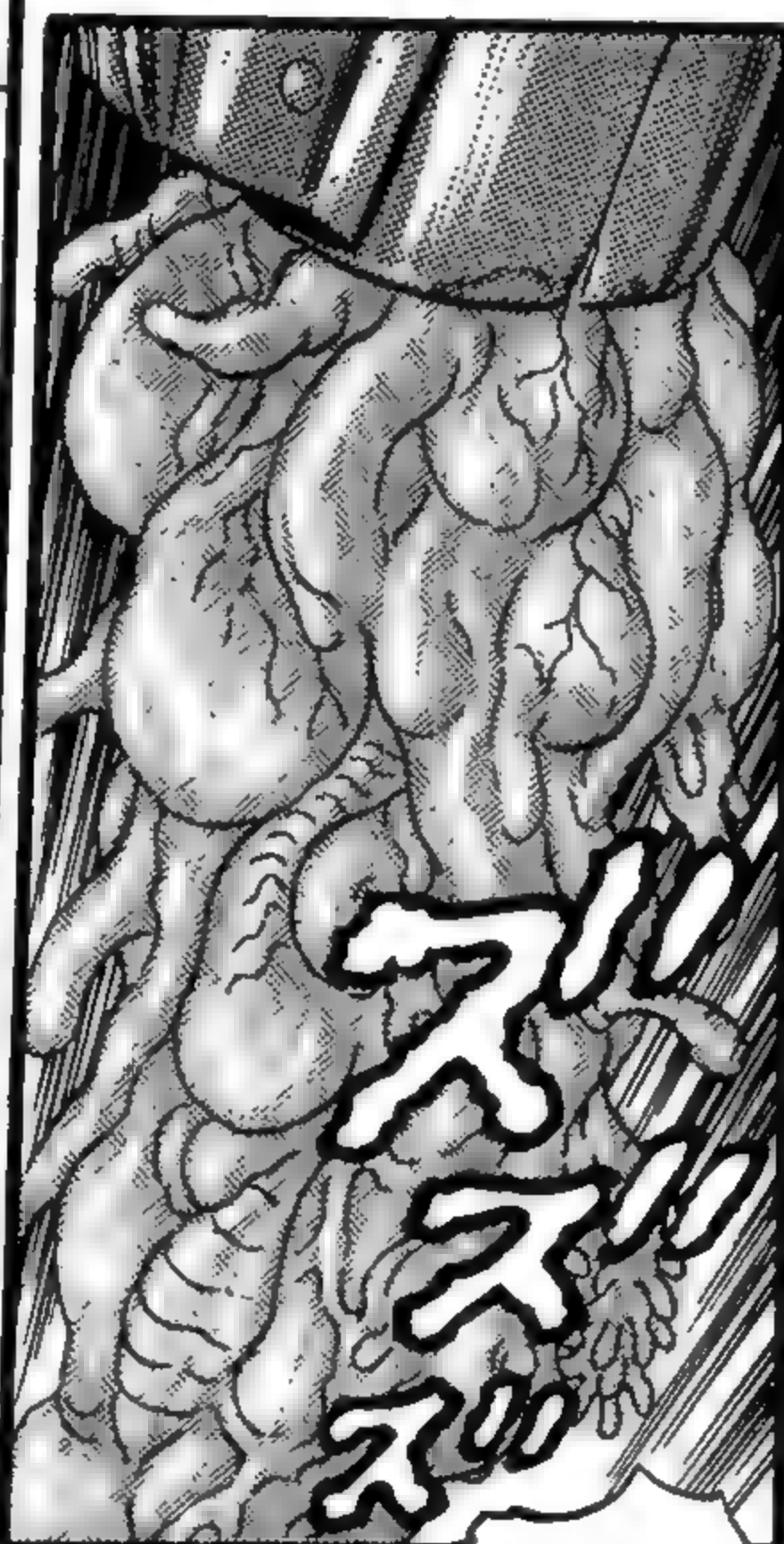
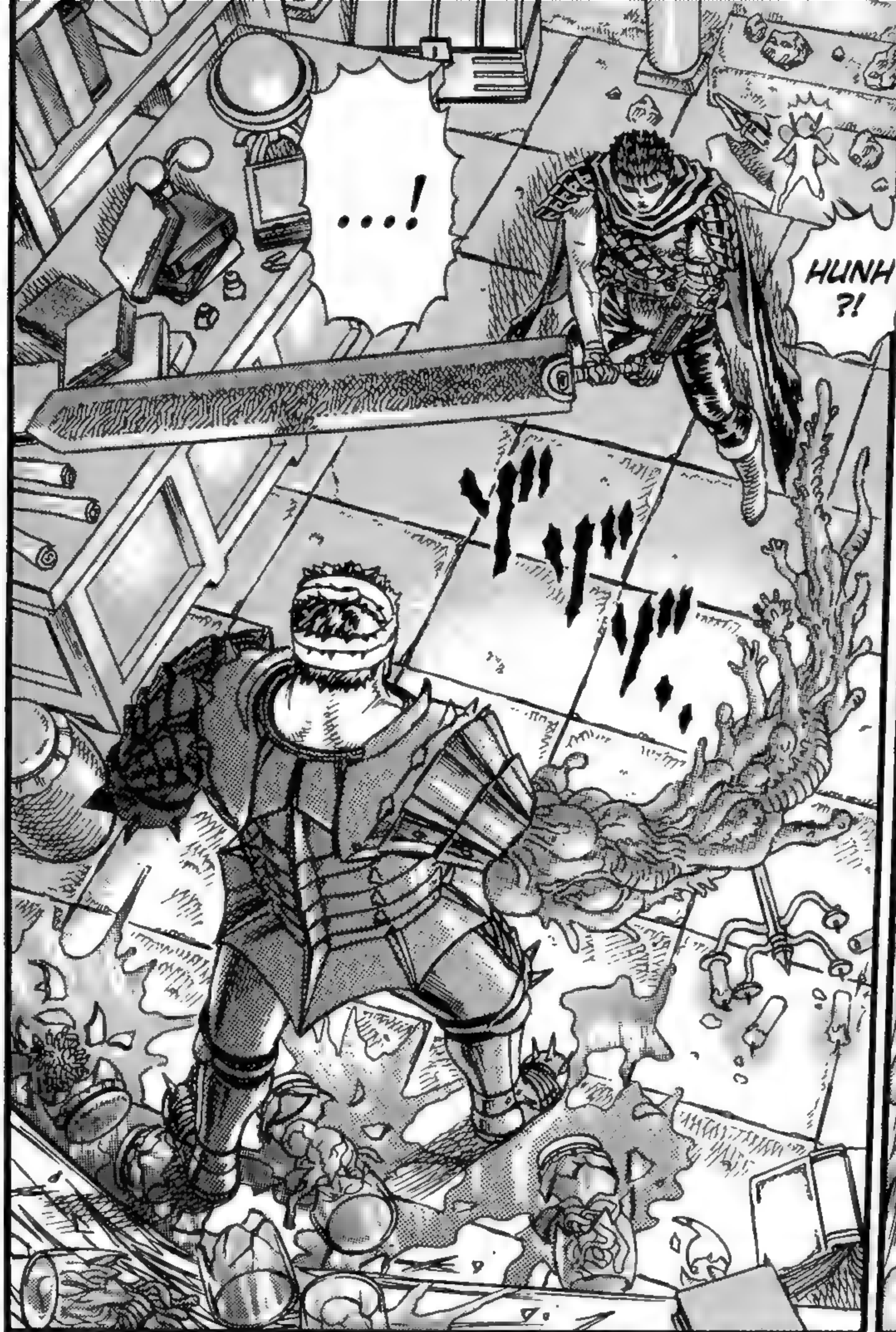
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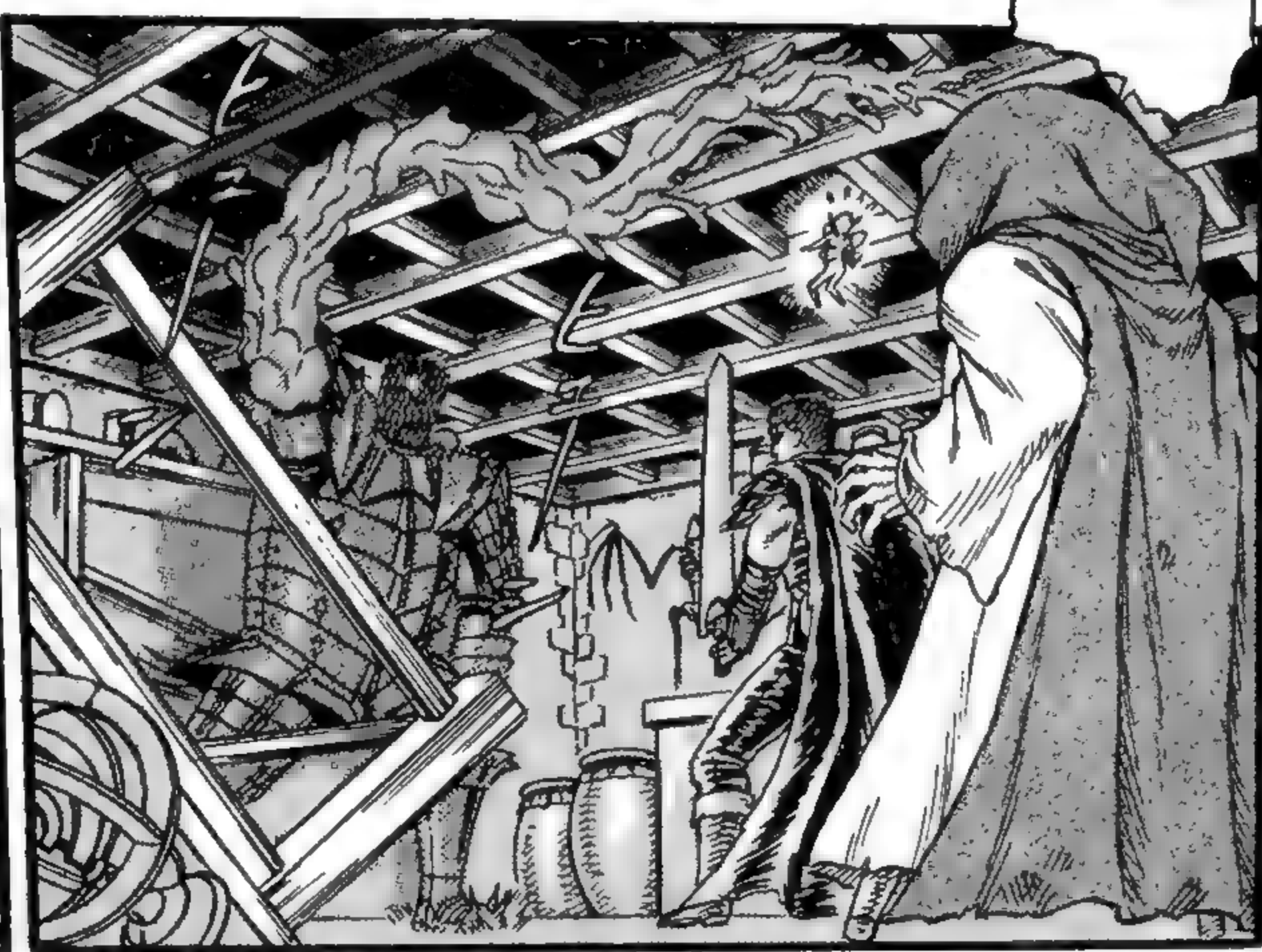








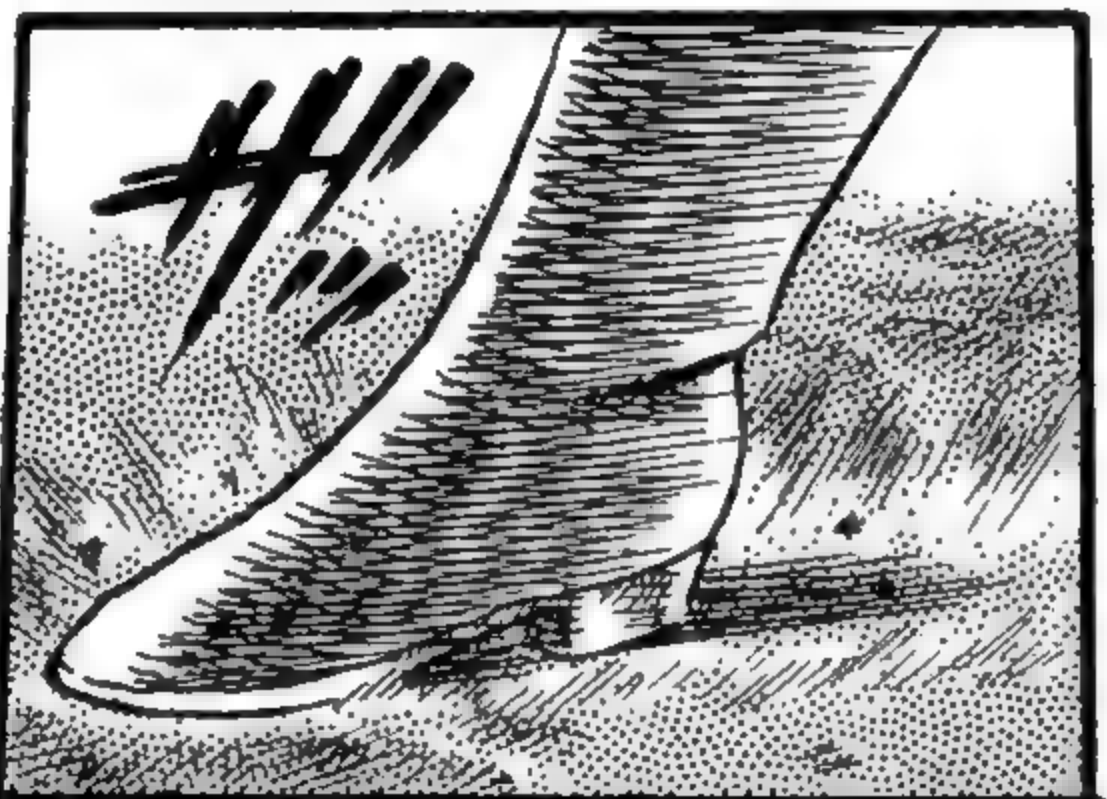
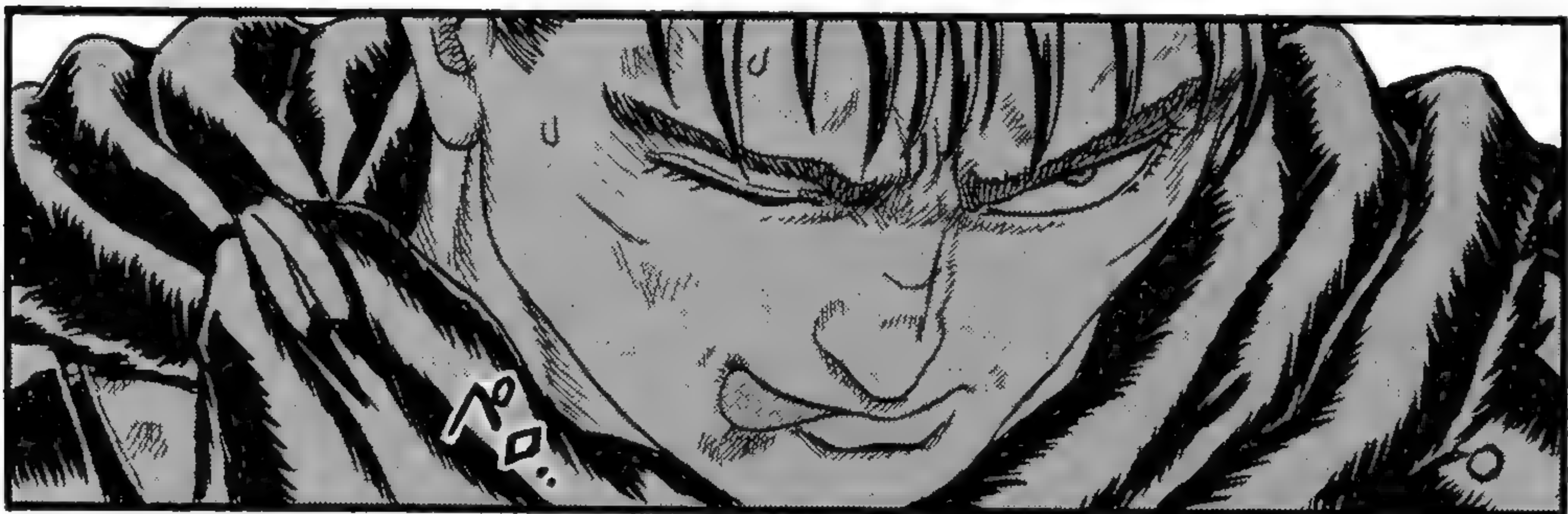
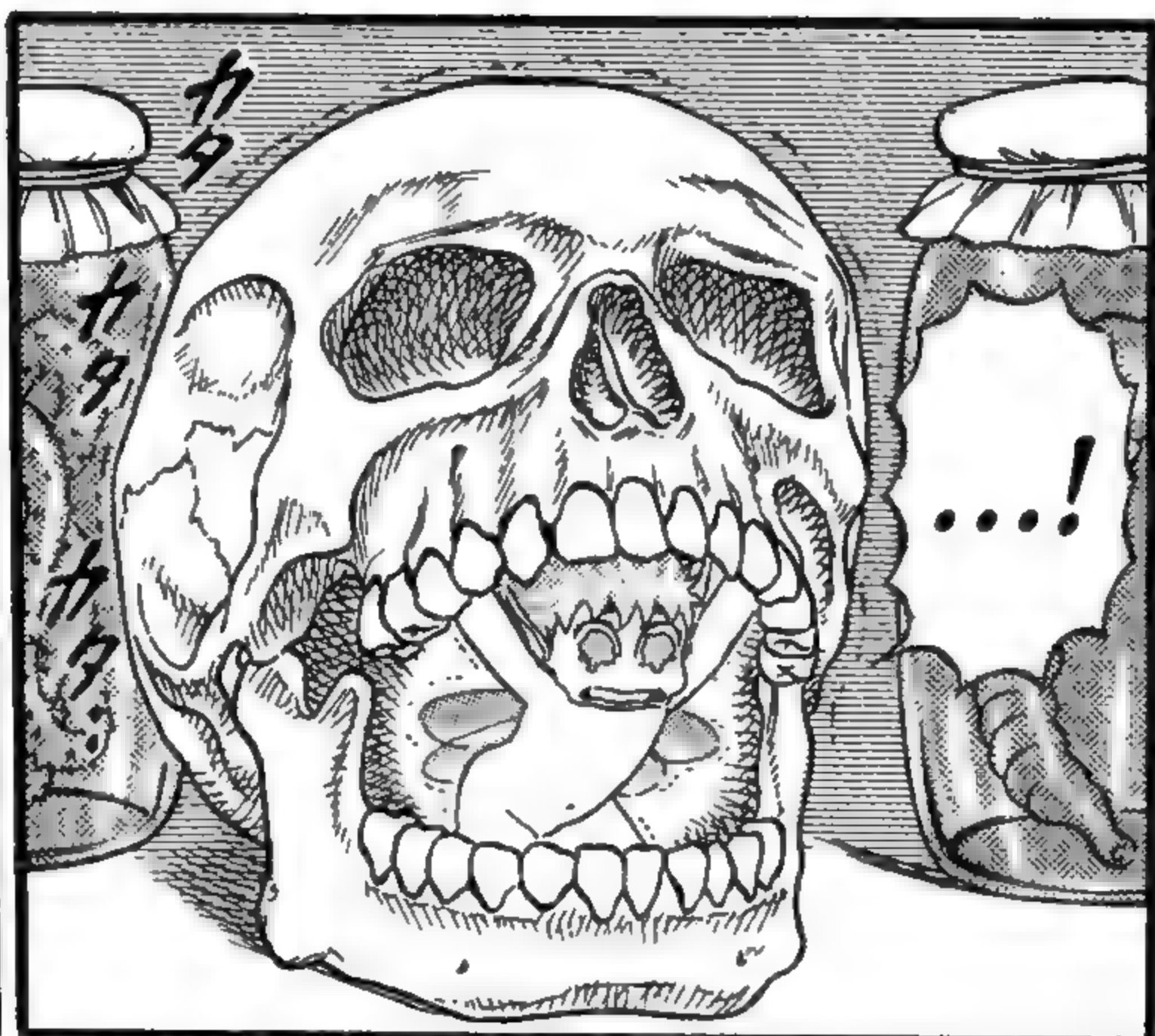
AAAAH!







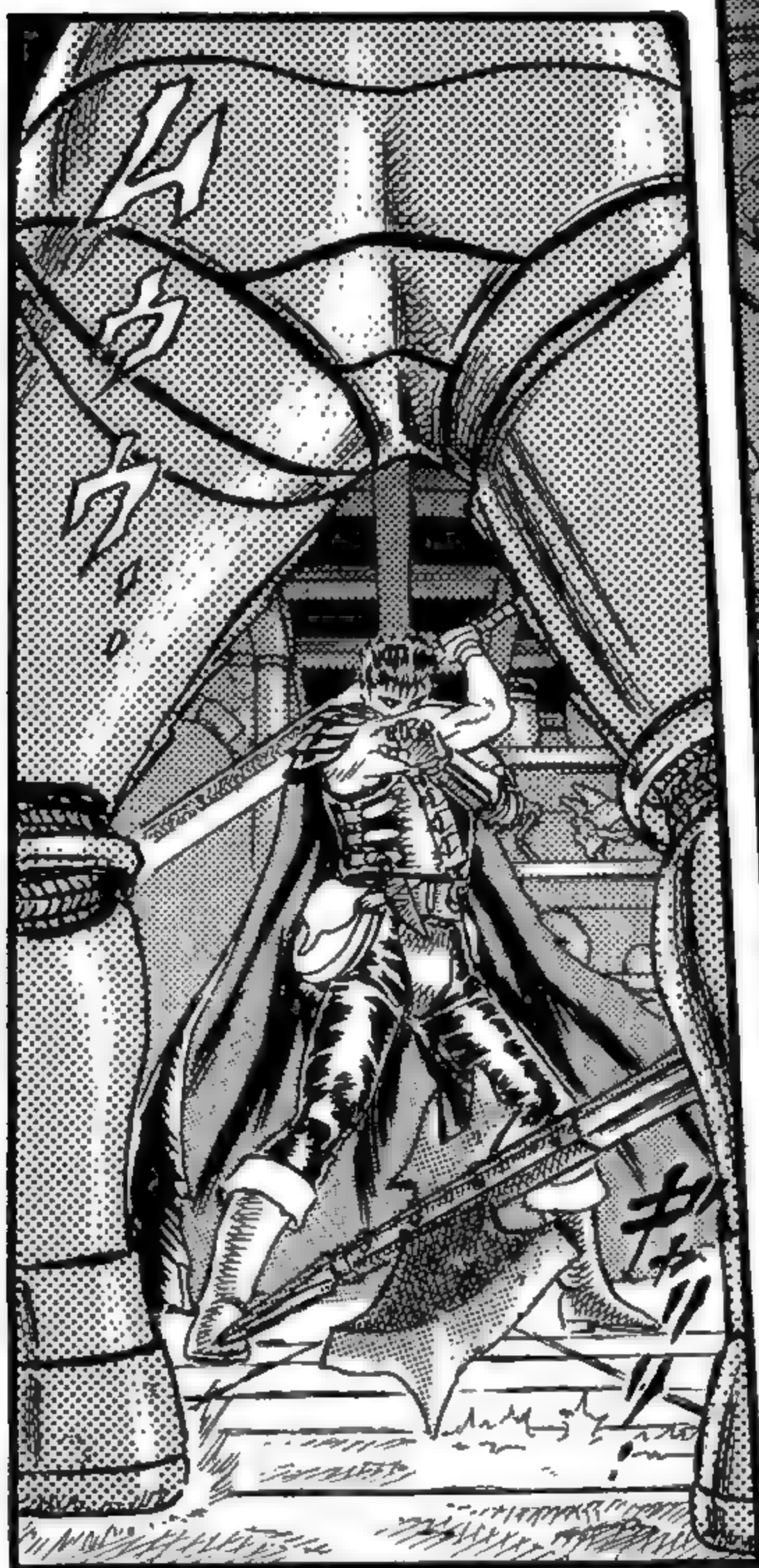




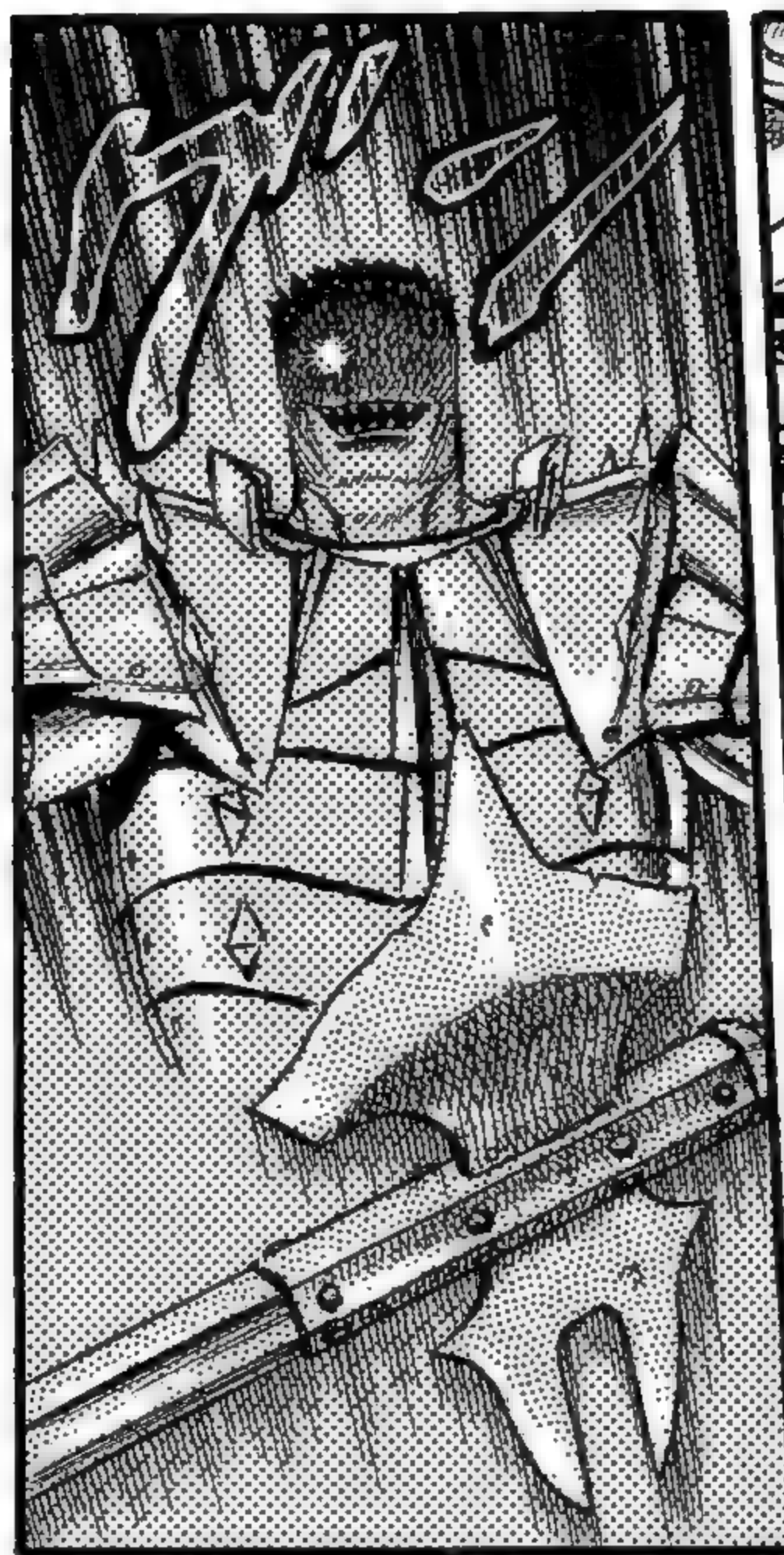








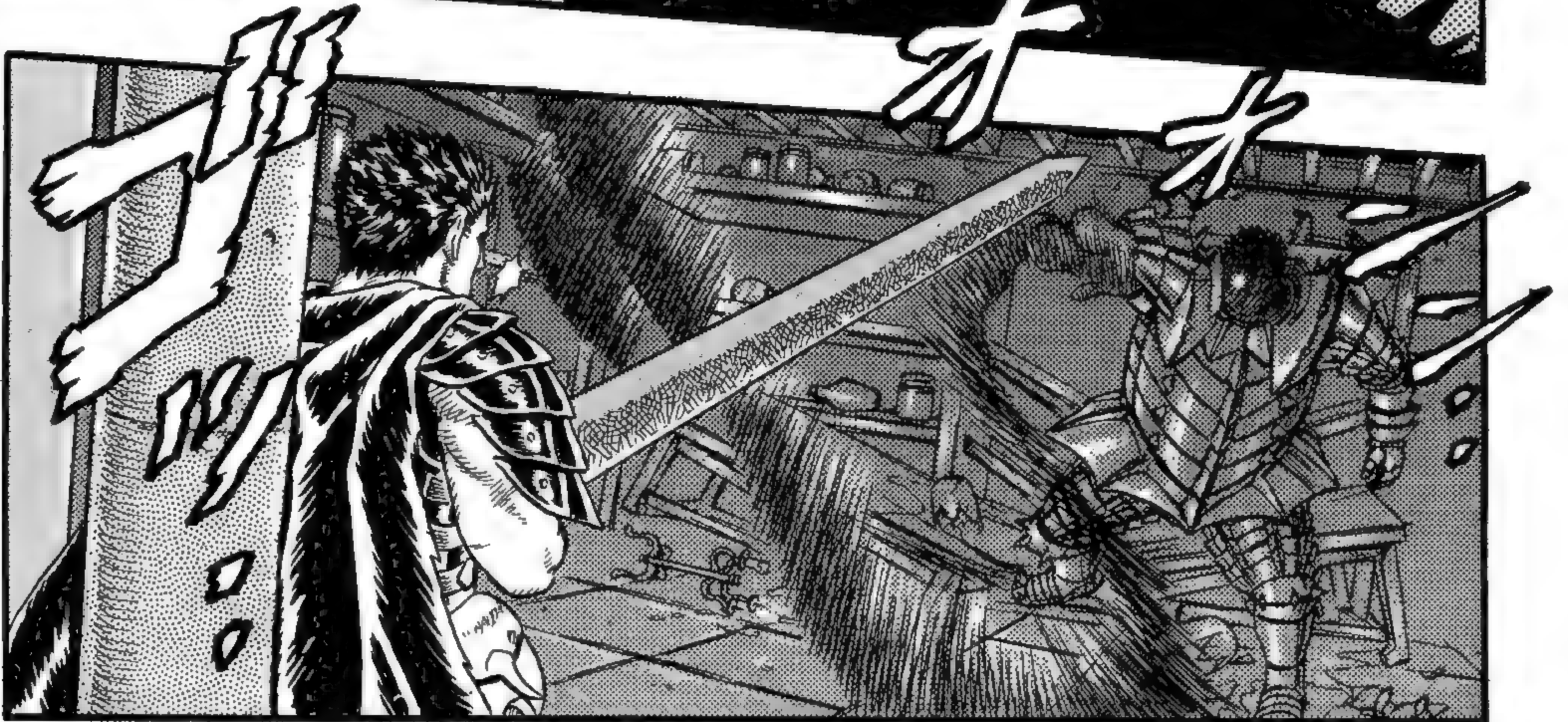
I'LL CHOP  
YOU INTO  
MINCEMEAT!







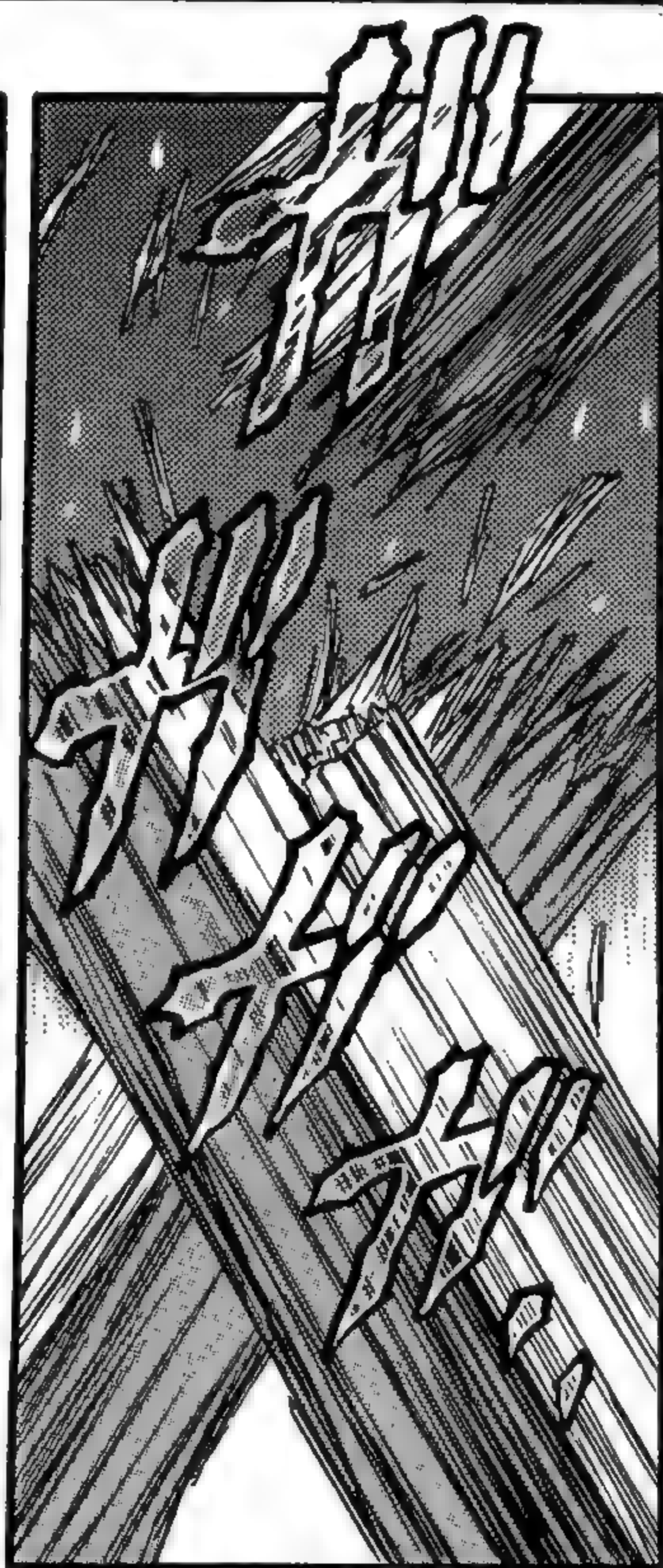




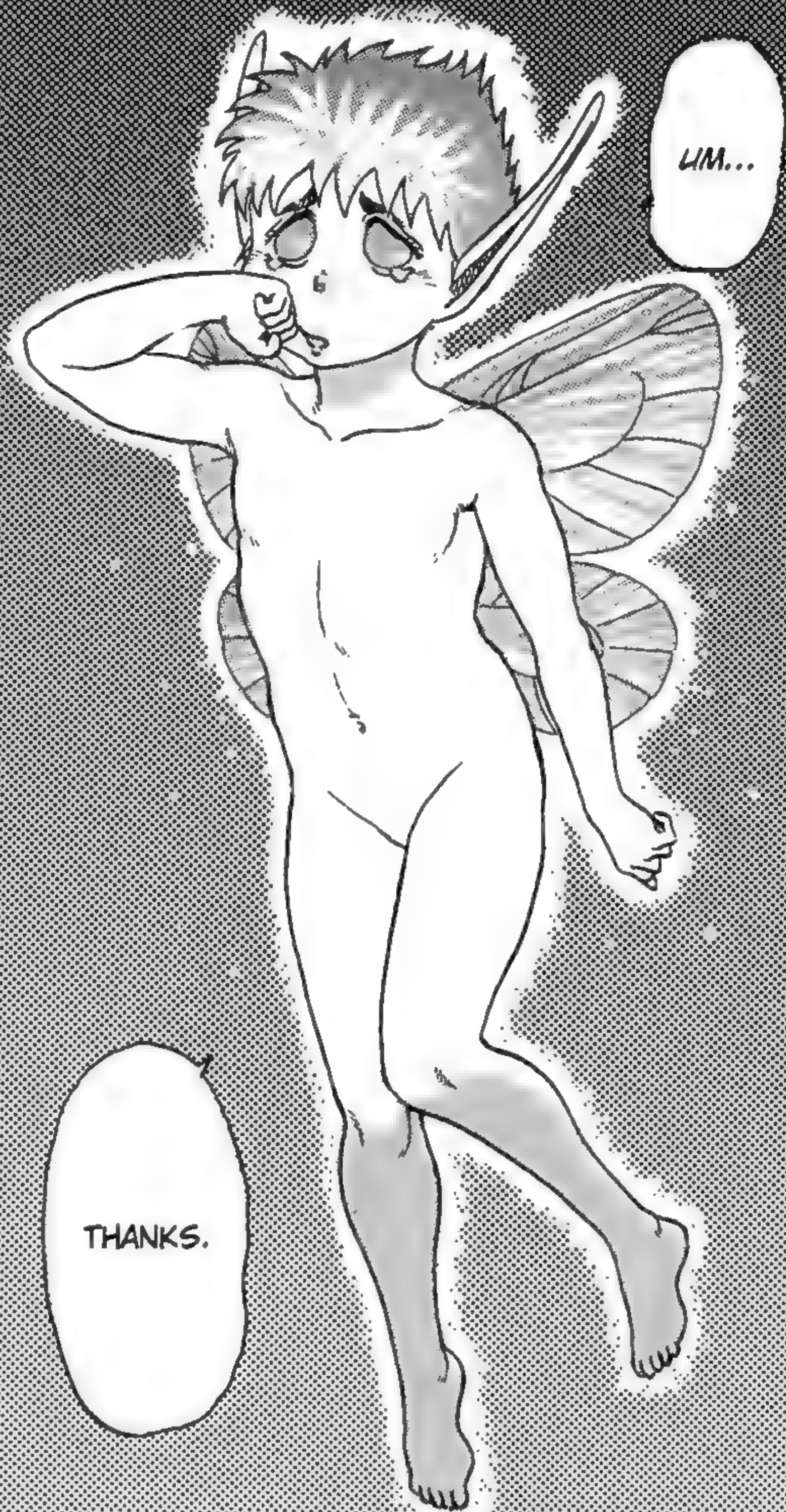
















HE'S  
SWINGING  
THAT  
BATTLEAXE  
AROUND  
LIKE A  
WHIP!

IT'S  
TOO FAST  
FOR THE  
HUMAN EYE  
TO SEE!

...IT'S TOO  
FAST TO  
SEE...



...BUT  
GLTS IS  
BLOCKIN'  
EVERY  
SINGLE  
BLOW...

BUT  
THE  
THING  
IS...



...WE'LL  
ALL BE  
CHOPPED  
TO  
BITS!

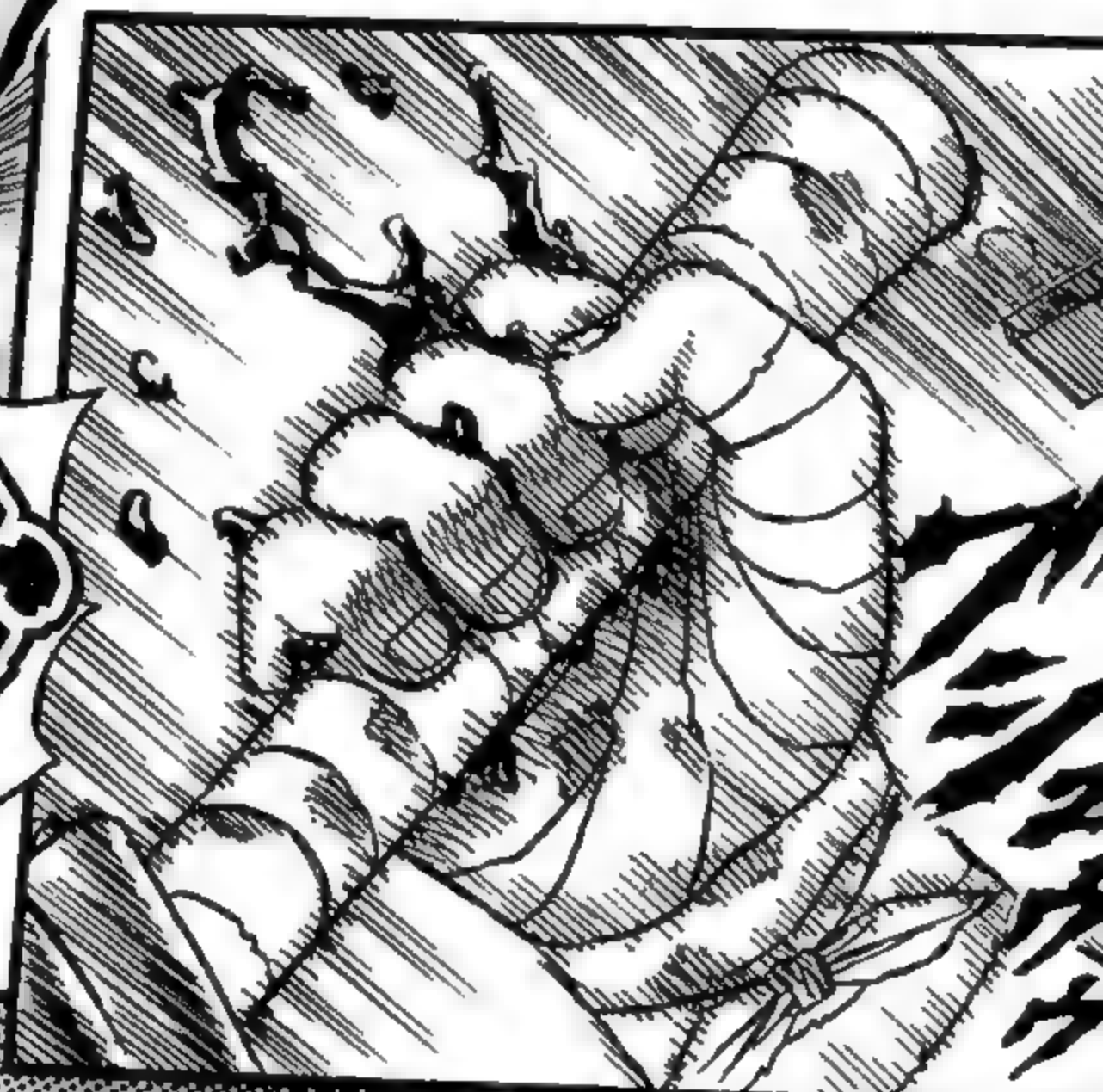
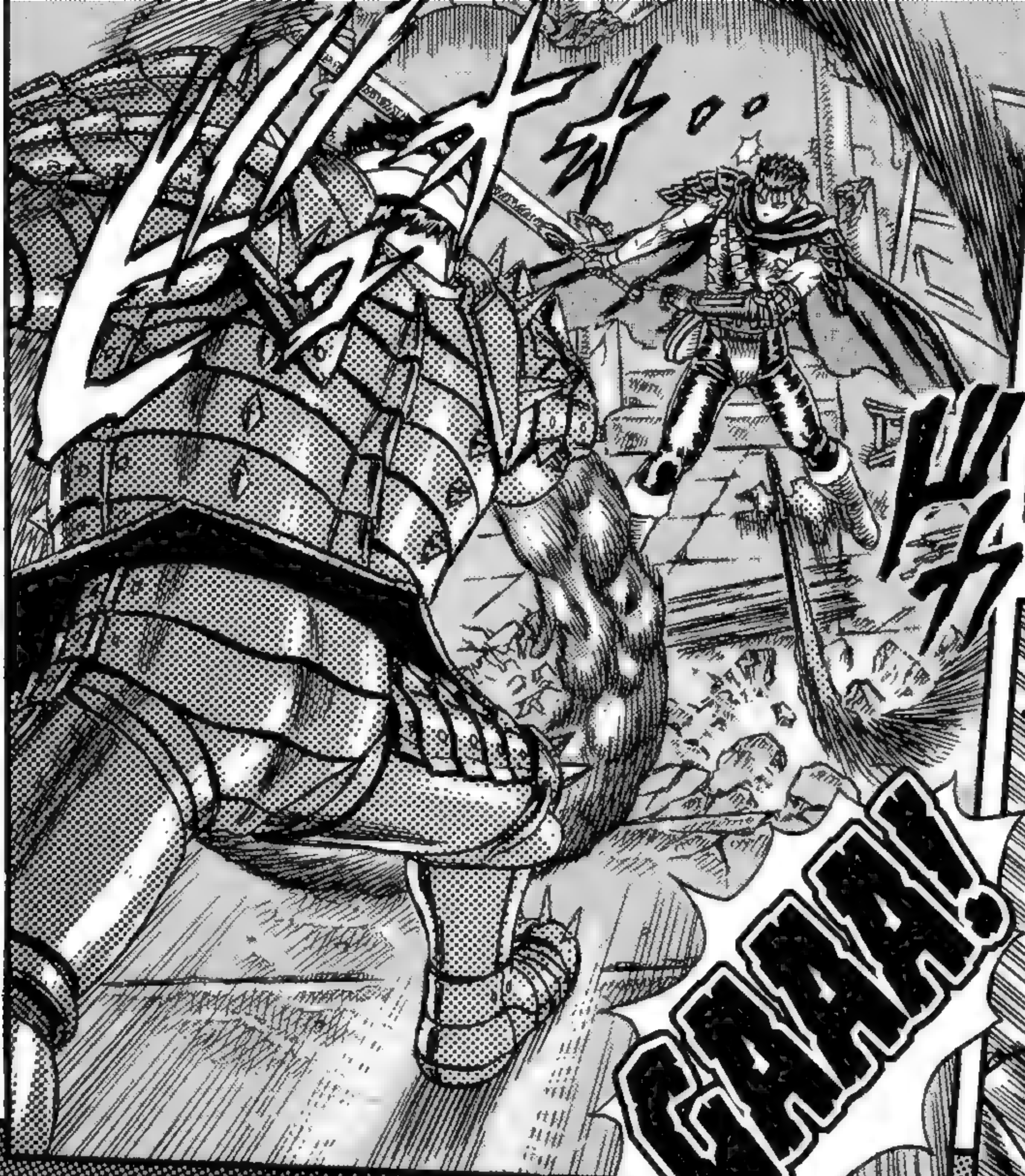
AT  
THIS  
RATE...



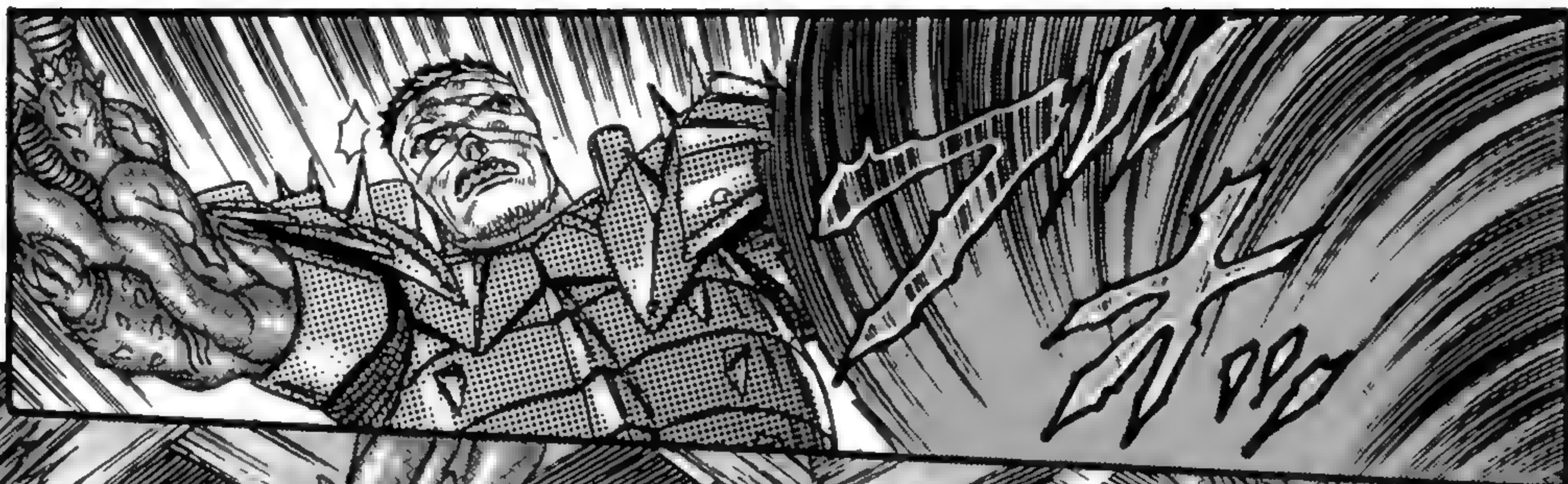
















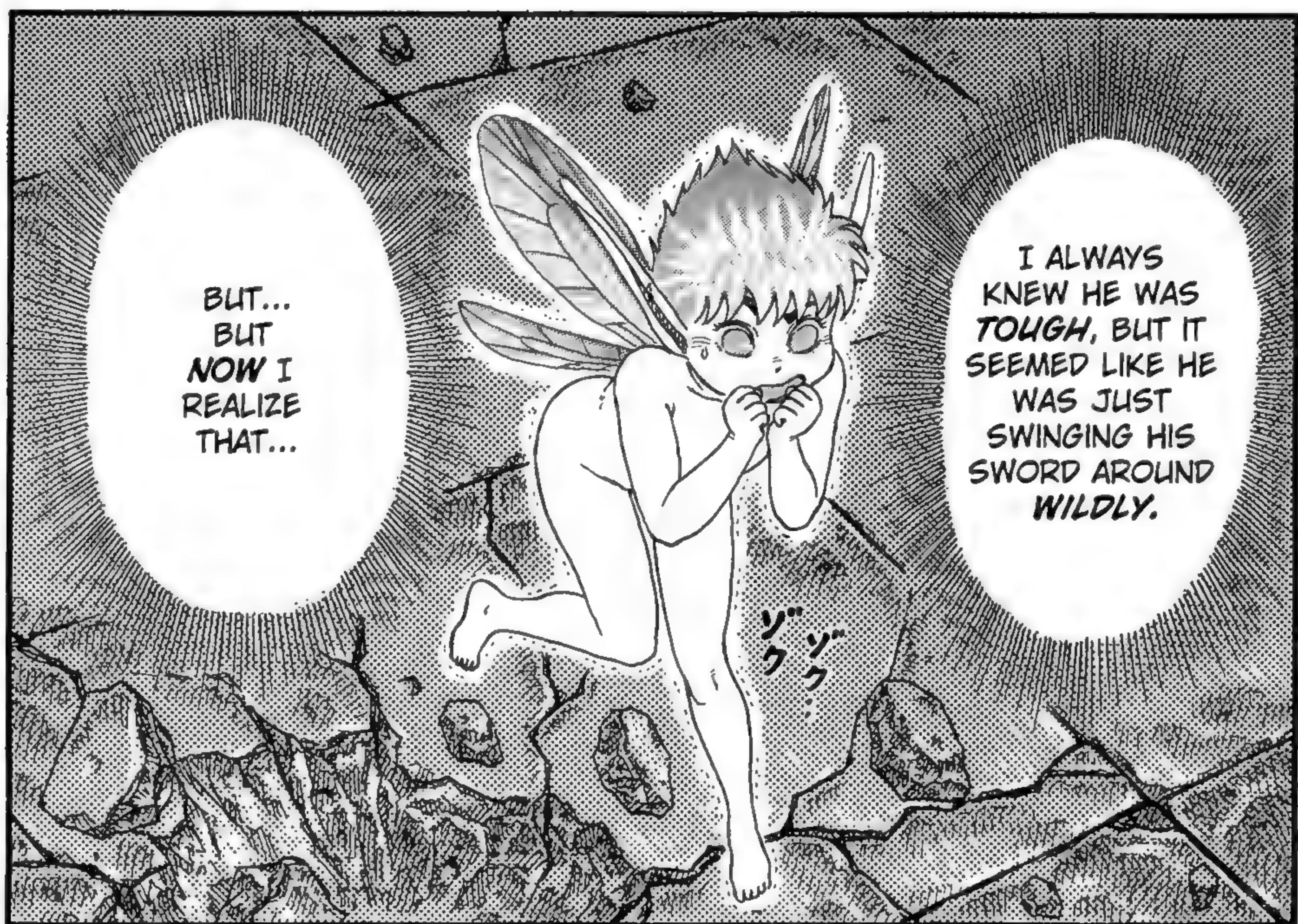
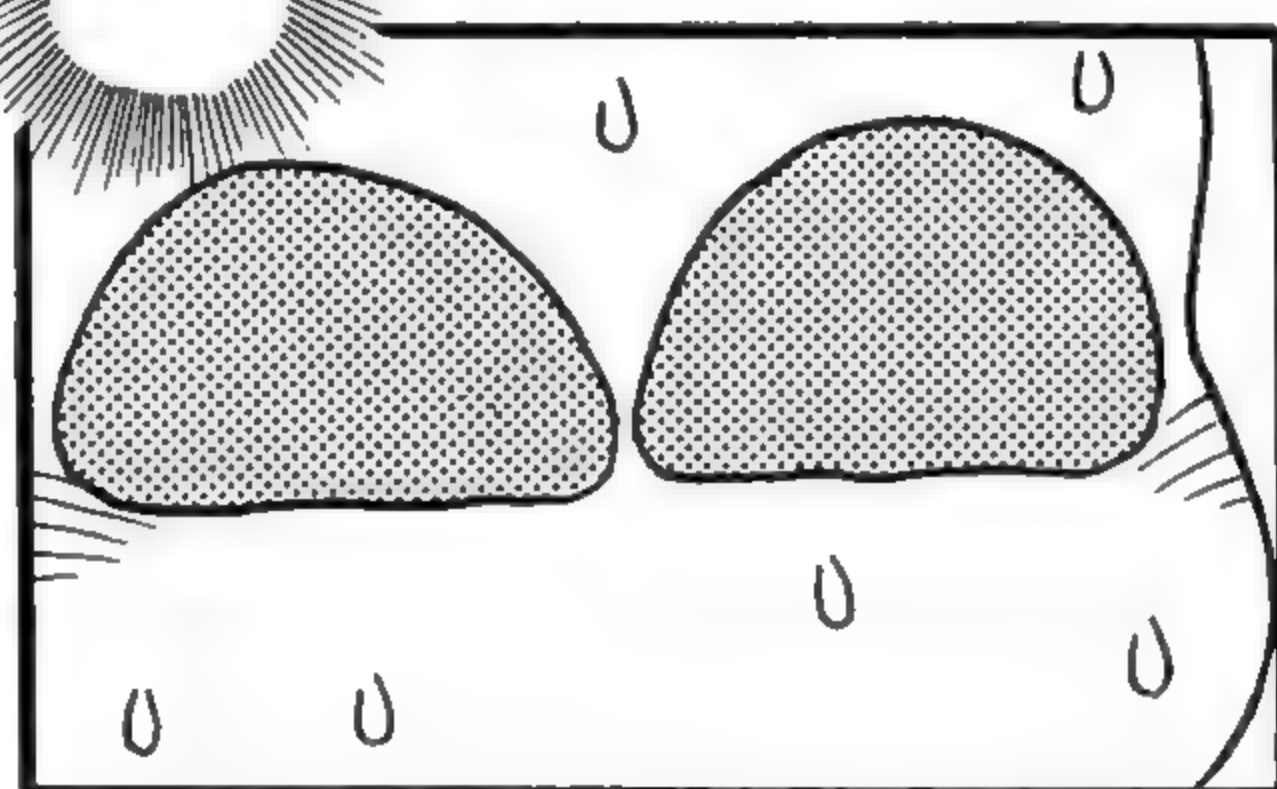
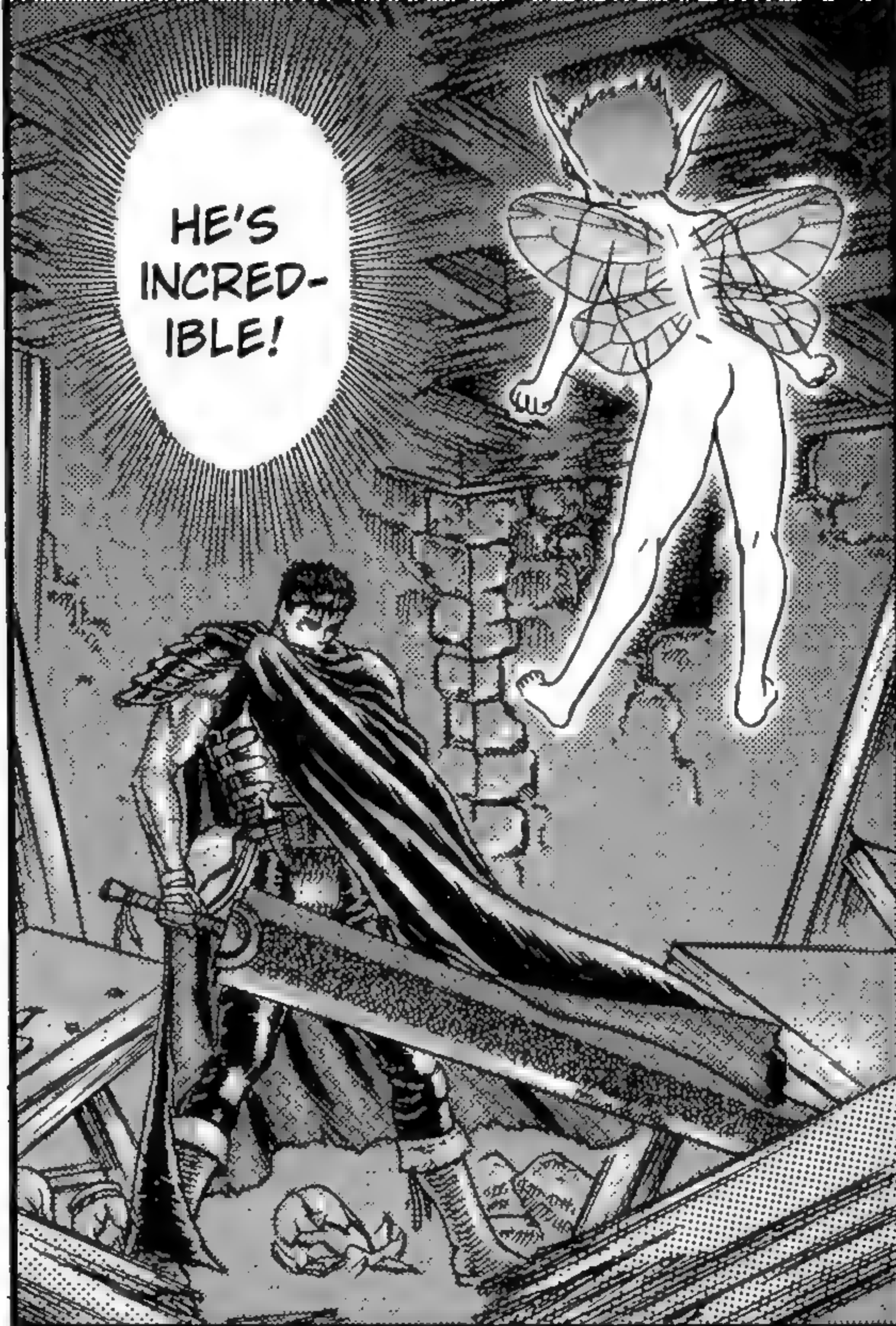
GAGGGH  
...













...HE  
...HE'S A  
**MASTER  
SWORDS-  
MAN!!**

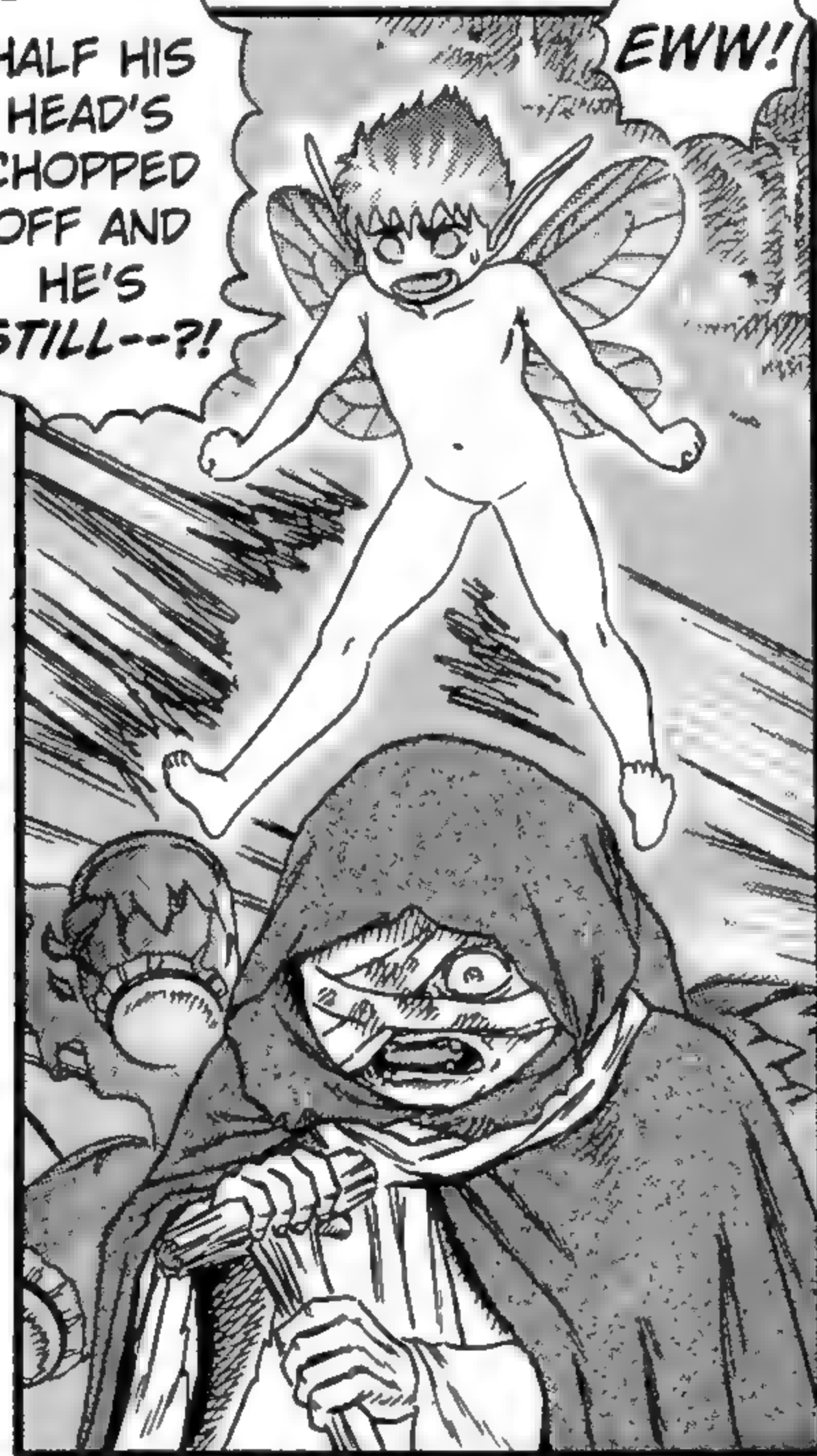






HALF HIS  
HEAD'S  
CHOPPED  
OFF AND  
HE'S  
STILL--?!

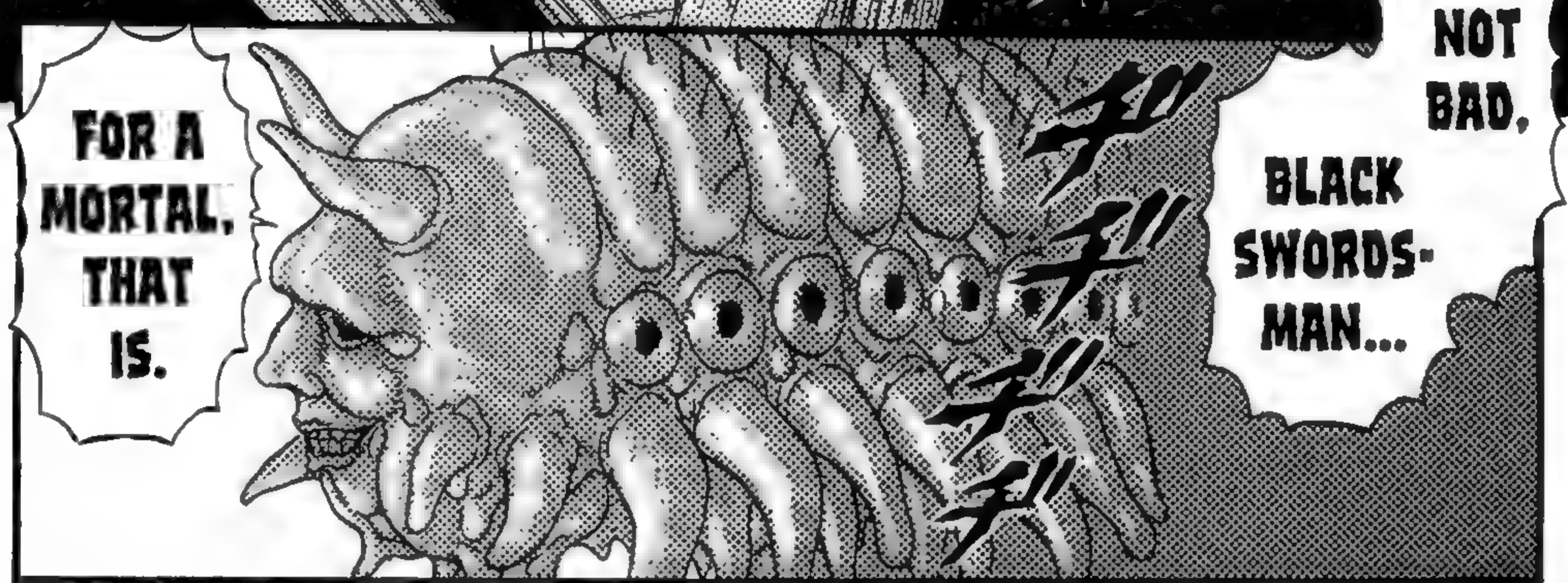
EWV!



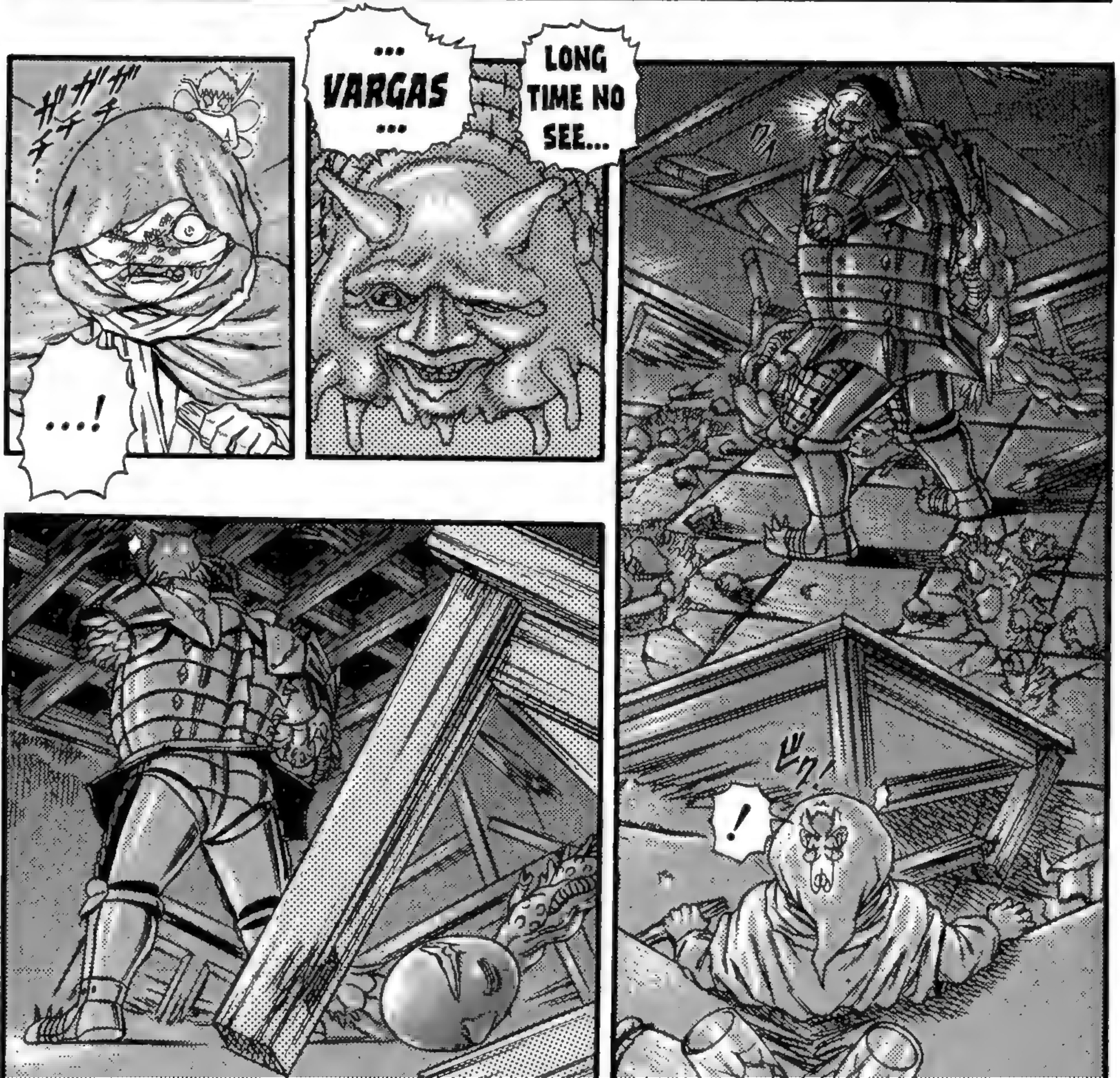
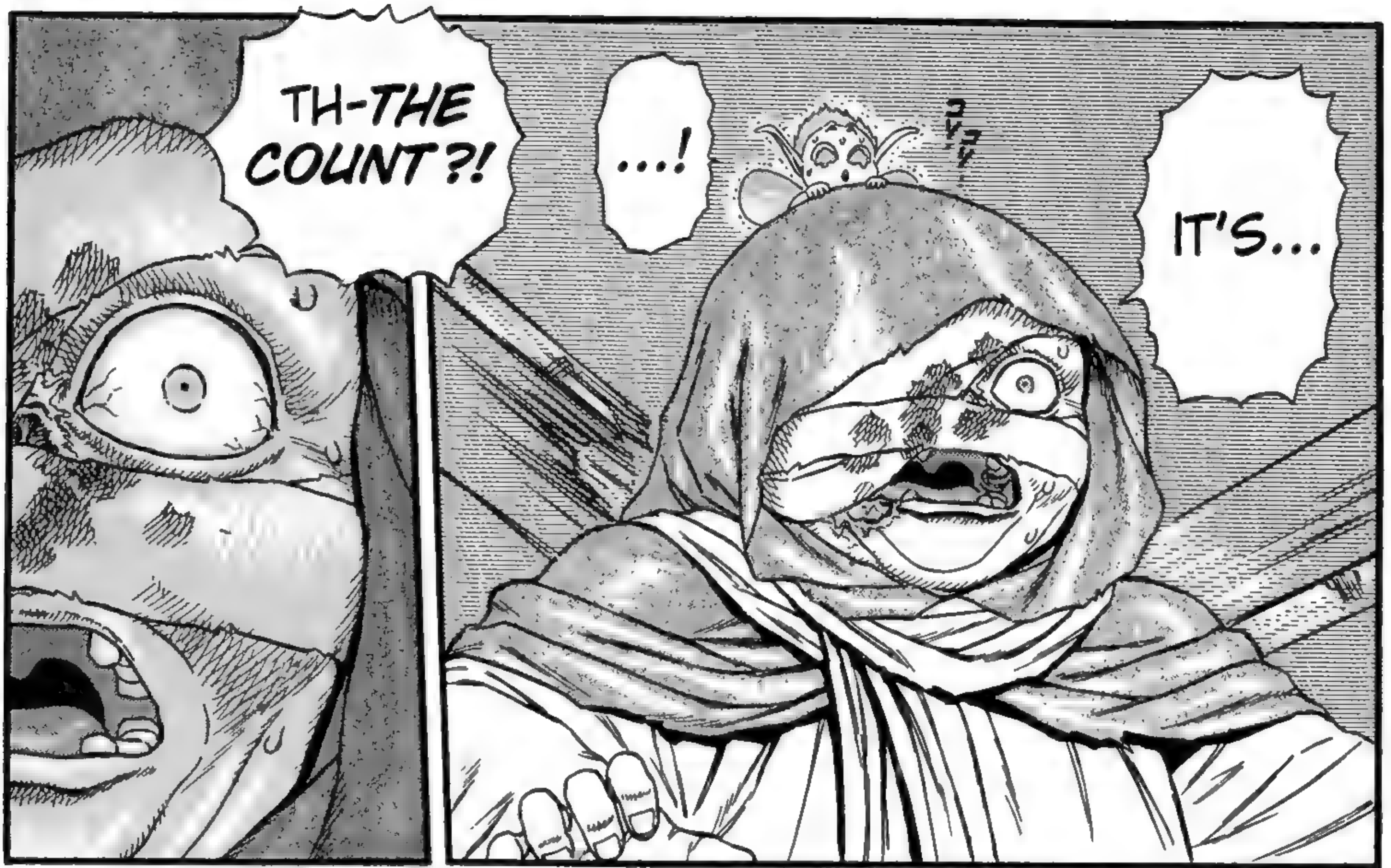




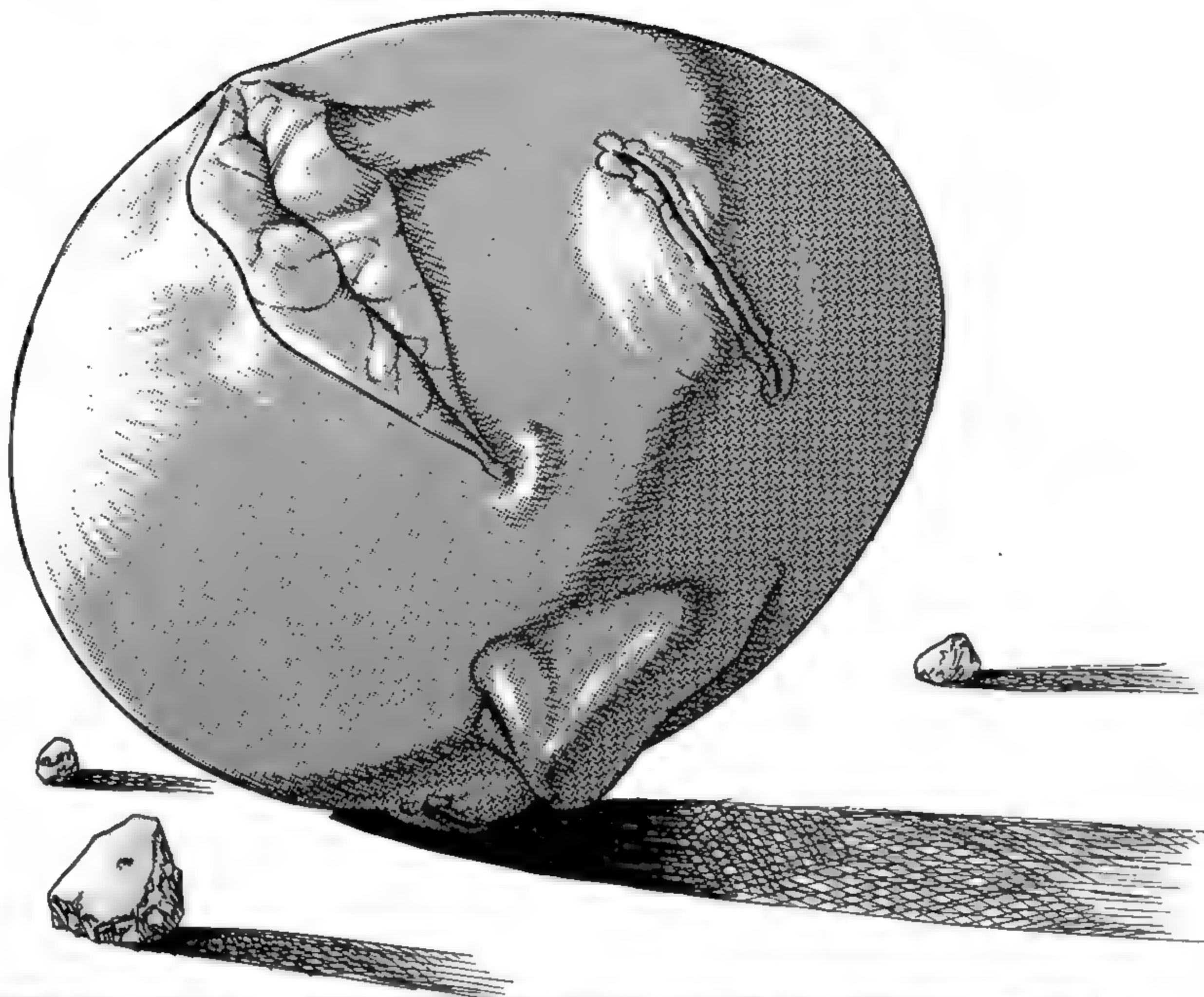












SO IT IS  
YOU...



JUST YOU **WAIT**.  
AFTER I TAKE CARE OF HIM,  
I'LL BE **DELIGHTED** TO  
CONTINUE WHERE WE LEFT  
OFF SEVEN YEARS AGO.

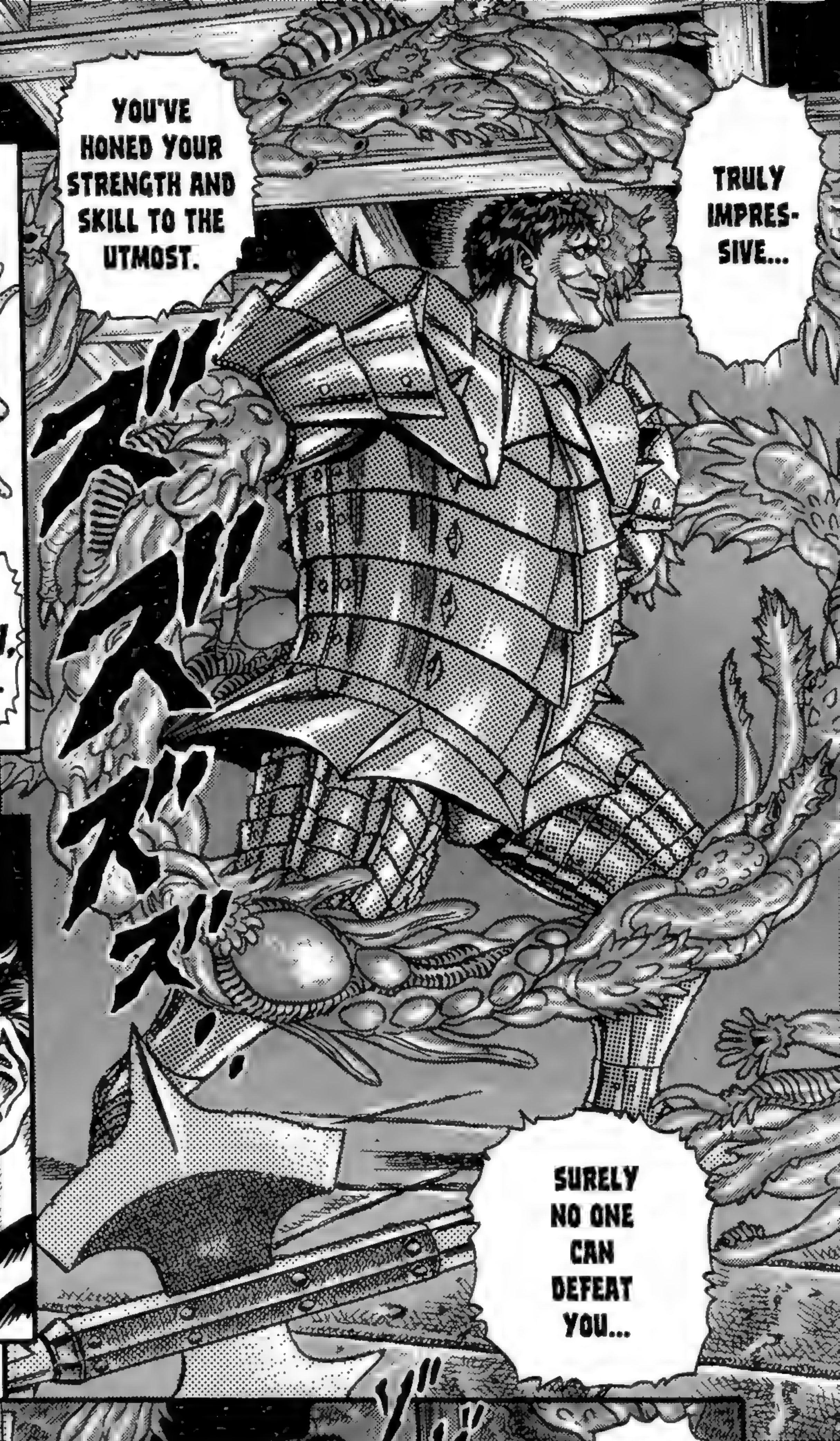




...NO  
**HUMAN,**  
THAT IS.

YOU'VE  
HONED YOUR  
STRENGTH AND  
SKILL TO THE  
UTMOST.

TRULY  
IMPRES-  
SIVE...



SURELY  
NO ONE  
CAN  
DEFEAT  
YOU...



THE  
FACT THAT  
YOU'RE  
MORTAL...

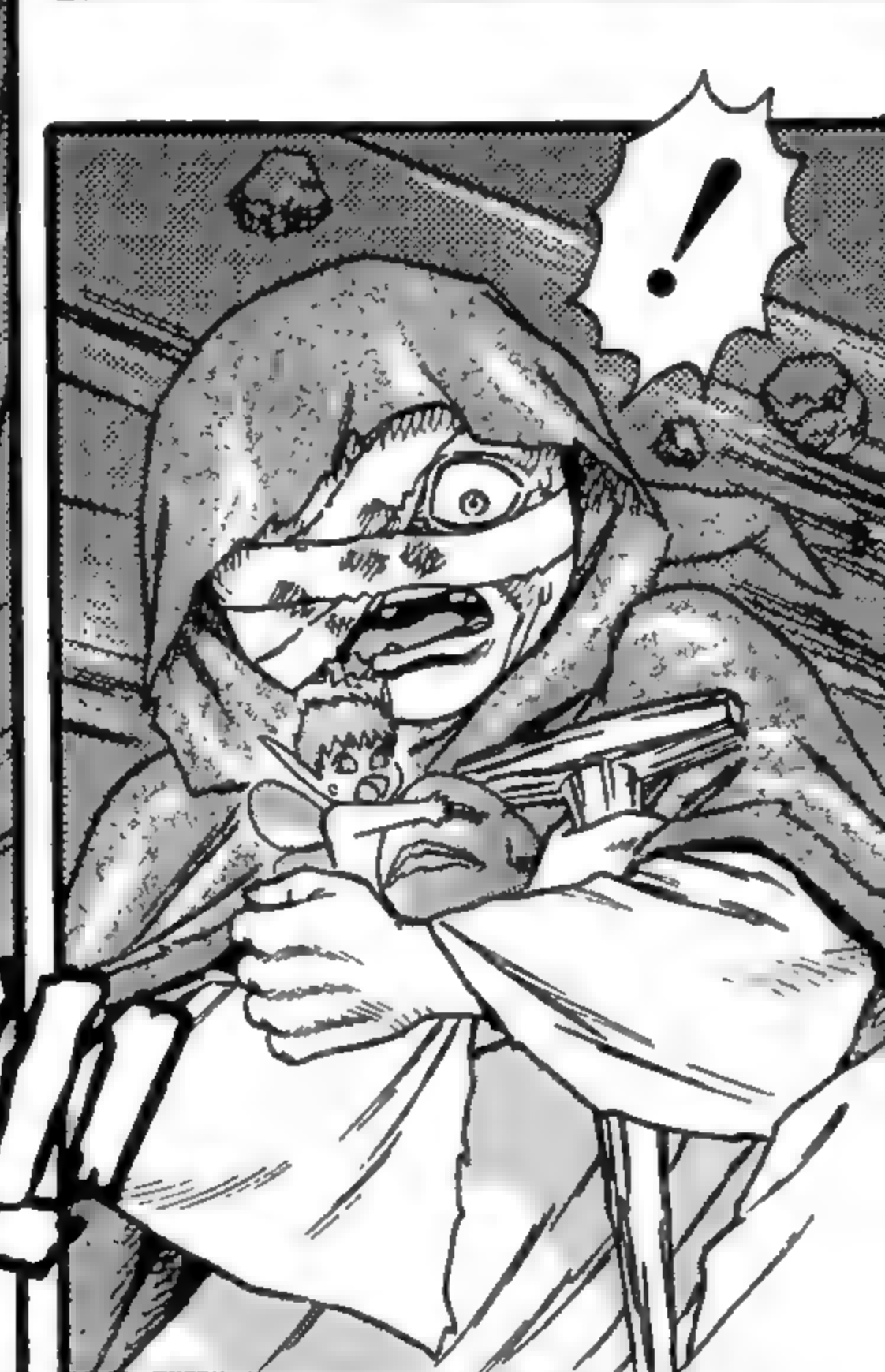




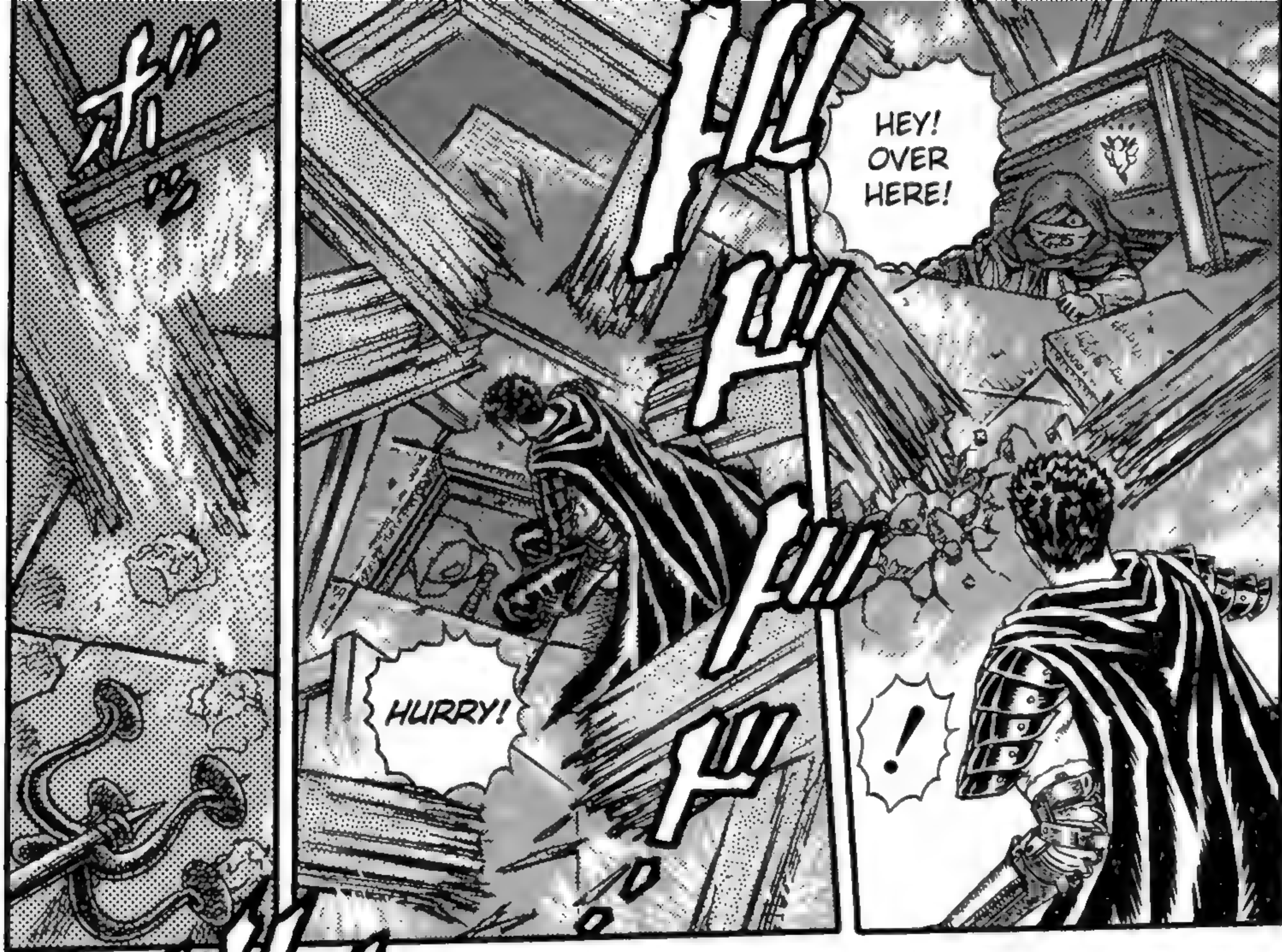
...IS  
YOUR  
DOWN-  
FALL!



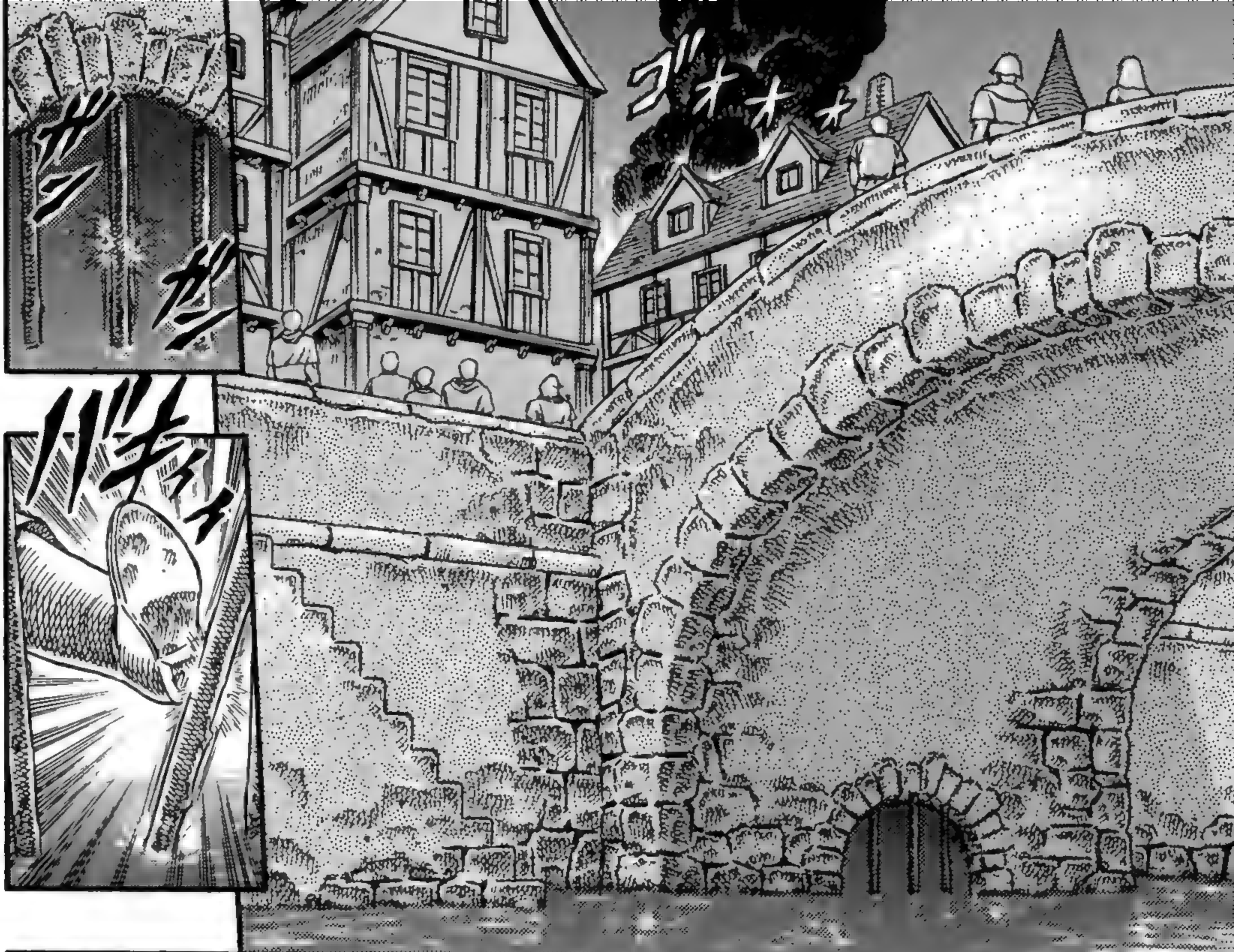
















BUT  
BEFORE  
I  
GO...

THIS IS  
WHERE  
WE  
PART.



IT WAS FEEDING  
OFF THAT GUY UP  
THERE, IN TOTAL  
CONTROL OF HIS  
MIND AND BODY.

ALL THAT  
REMAINED  
WAS HIS  
DESIRE  
TO KILL.



C'MON. THINK OF IT  
AS DOWN PAYMENT  
FOR  
KILLING  
THE  
COUNT.



THE  
*BEHELIT.*

...  
THERE'S  
SOME-  
THING  
I WANT  
FROM  
YOU.

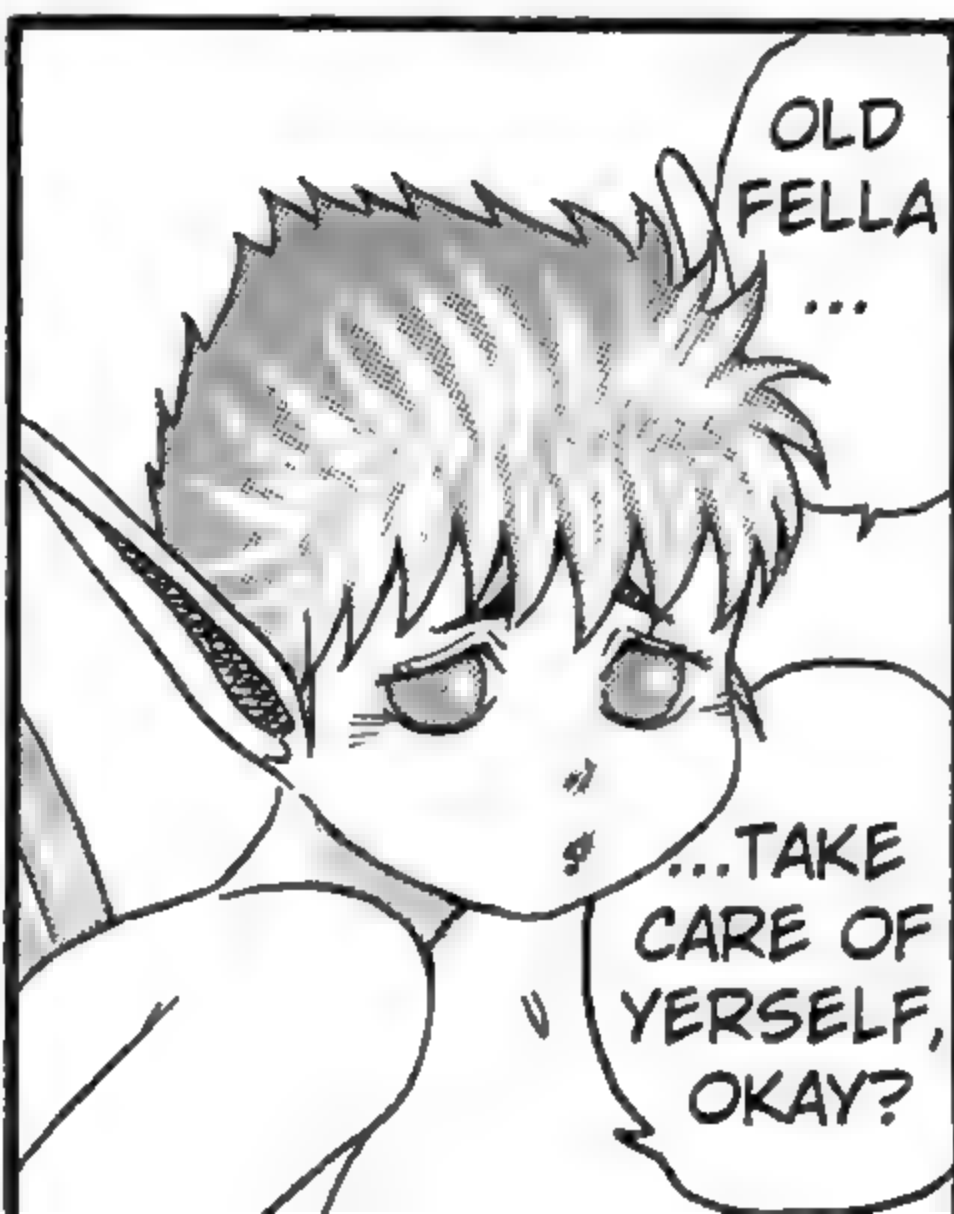
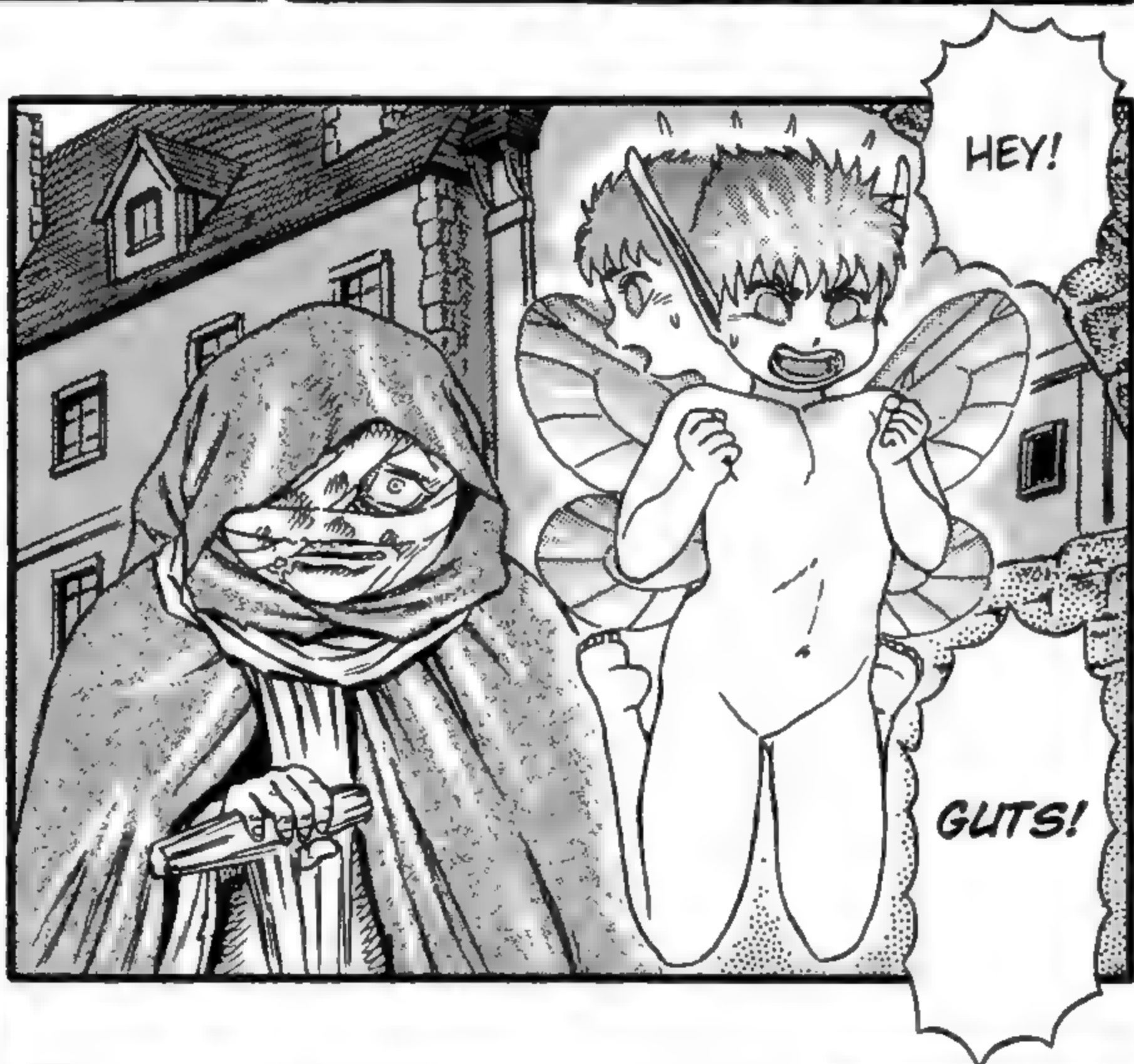
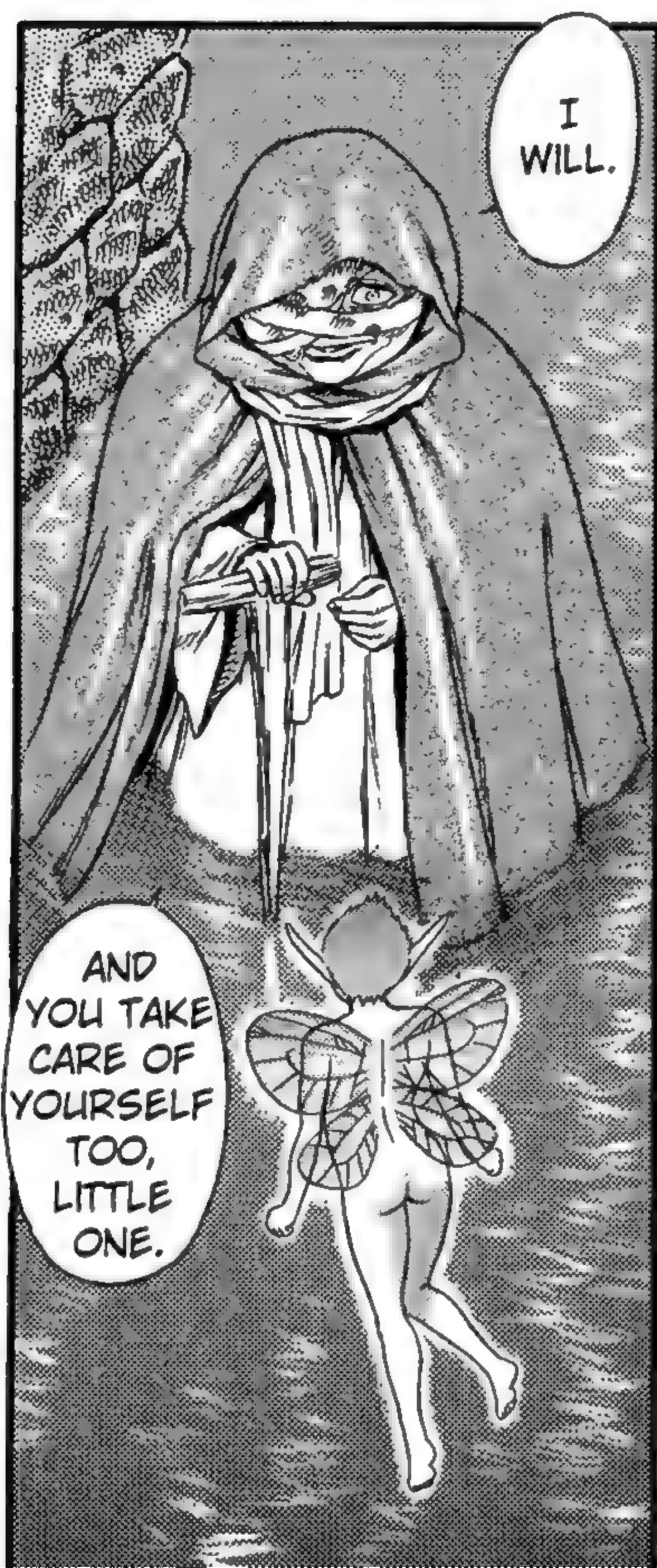


THAT  
THING'S  
OF NO  
*USE*  
TO YOU  
ANYWAY.

.....

!









UH...  
OKAY.

BYE.



AT FIRST  
I THOUGHT  
YOU WERE  
KINDA  
CREEPY,  
BUT...

YOU'RE  
A  
GOOD  
PERSON,  
Y'KNOW  
THAT?



...NOW  
GO.

THAT'S  
OKAY  
...



OH...  
I'M  
SORRY!

.....



...PEOPLE  
NEED  
TO  
KEEP  
LIVING.

I  
THINK  
THAT...  
THAT...



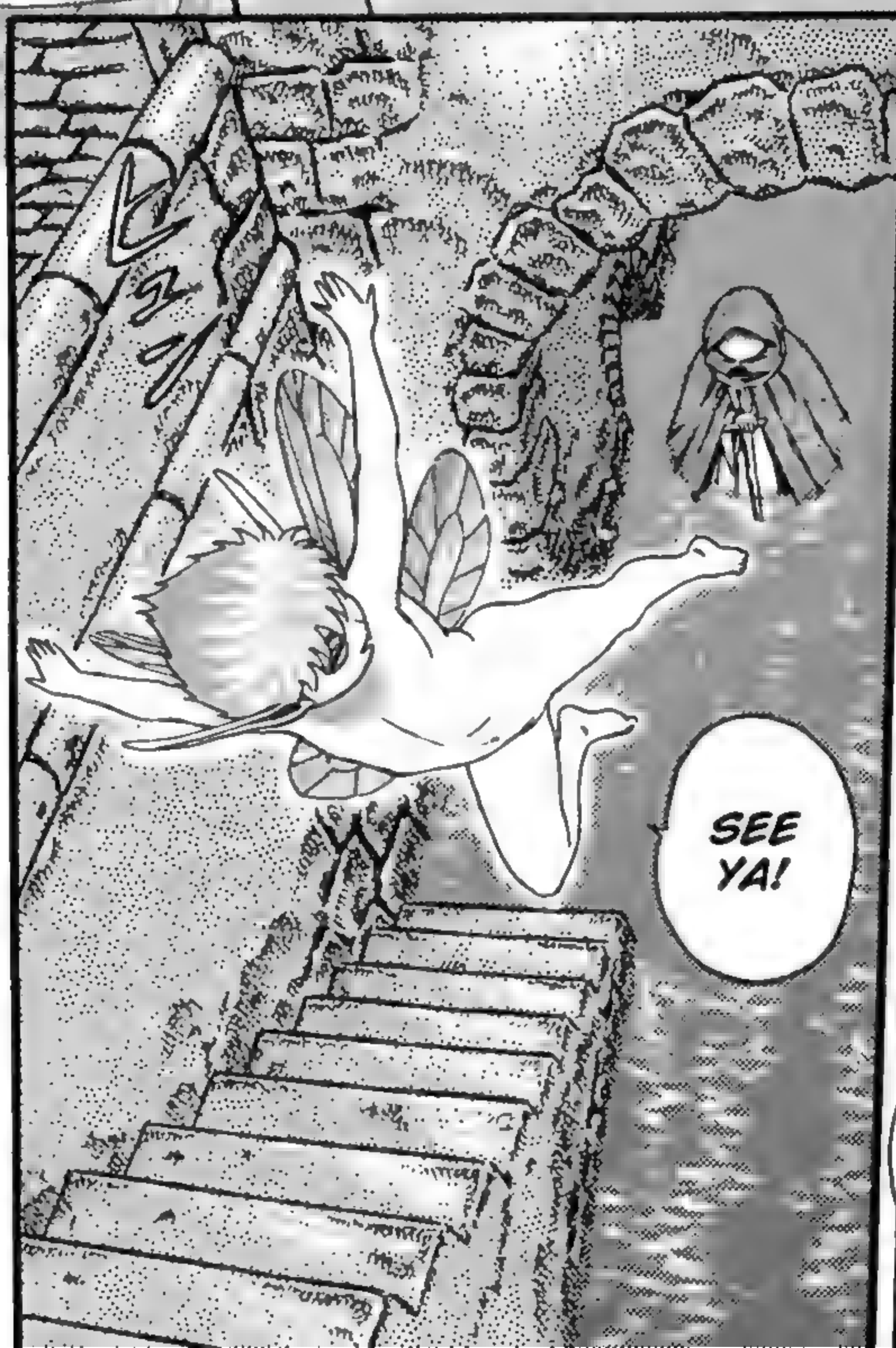
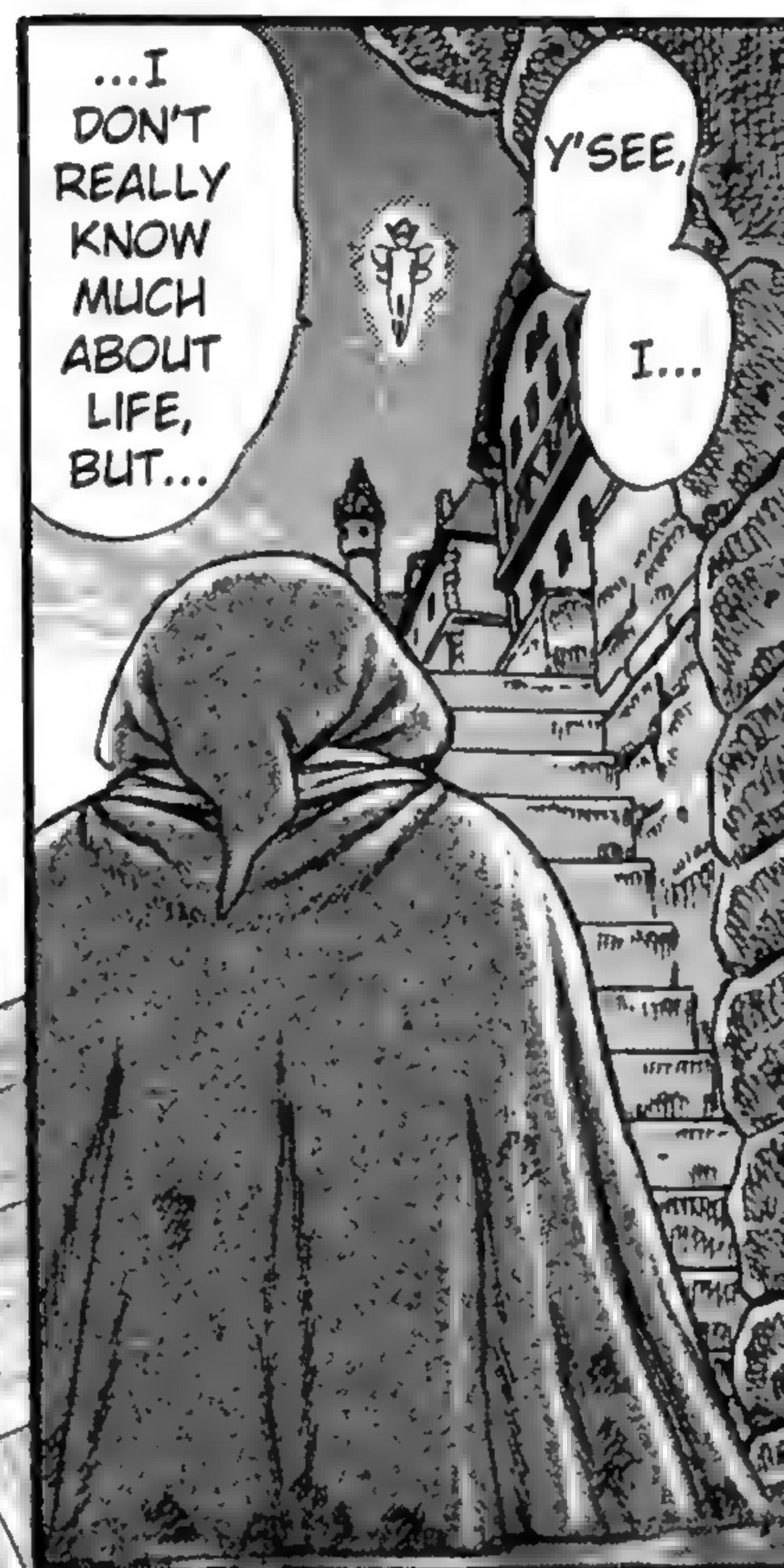
.....



OH...  
UM...ONE  
MORE  
THING...

7  
16







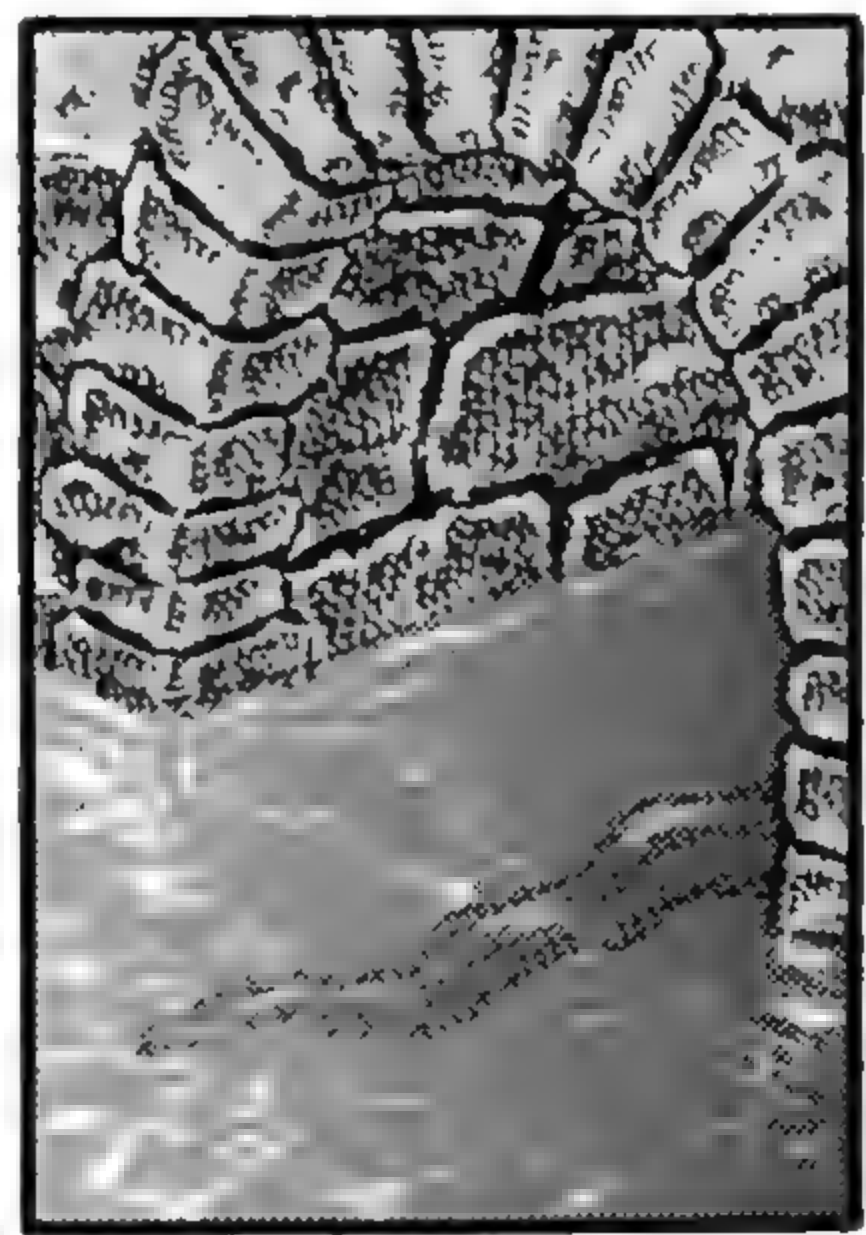
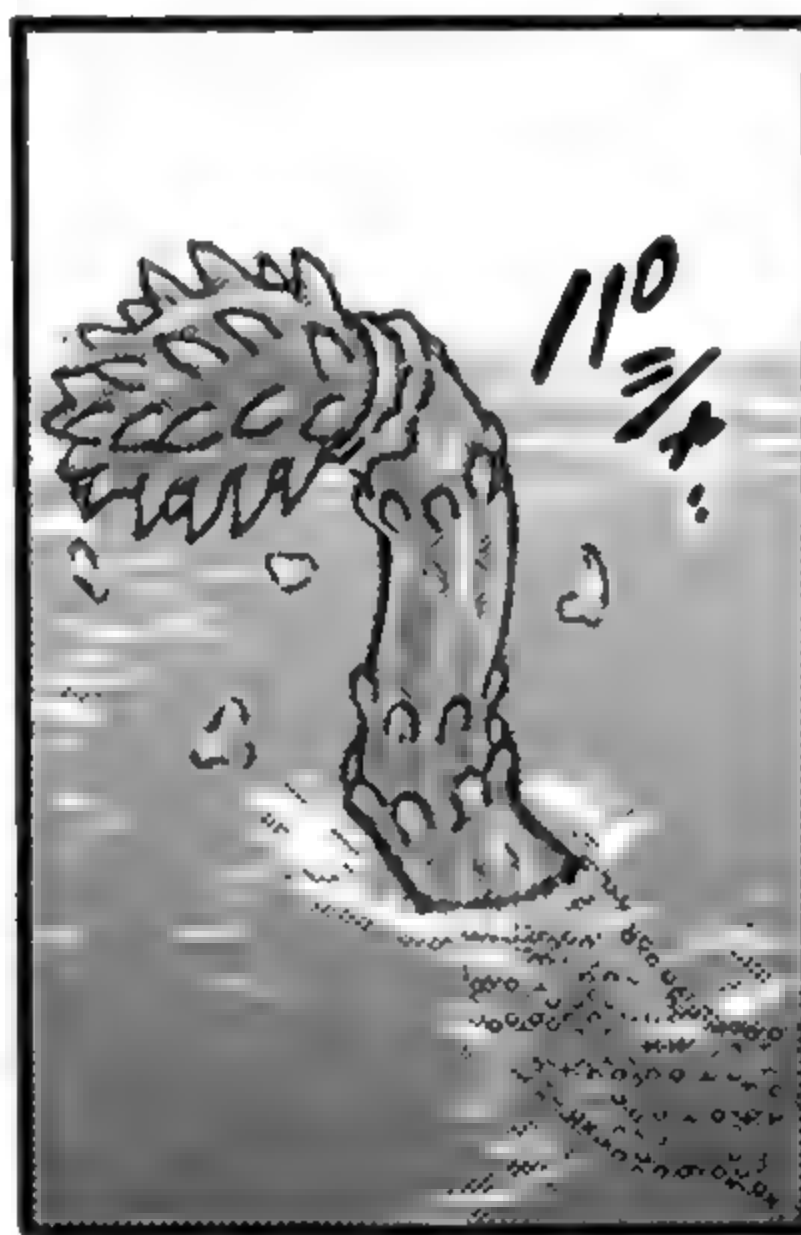


SUCH  
A  
DEAR  
ELF...

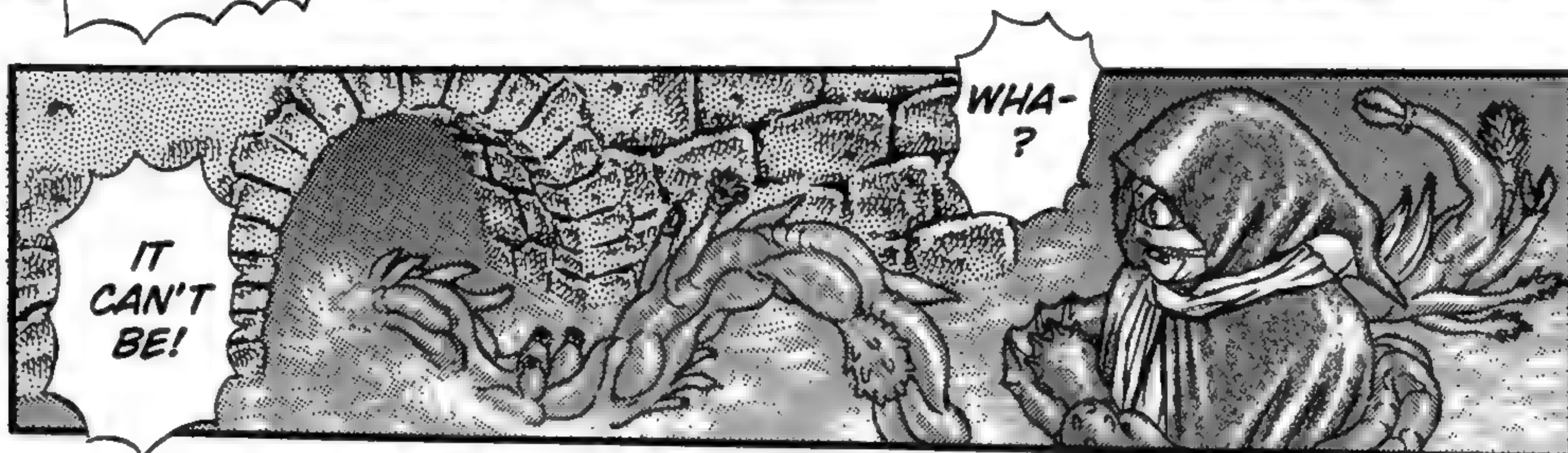


...I CAN'T  
JUST STAND  
AROUND  
HERE  
FOREVER.

WELL  
...



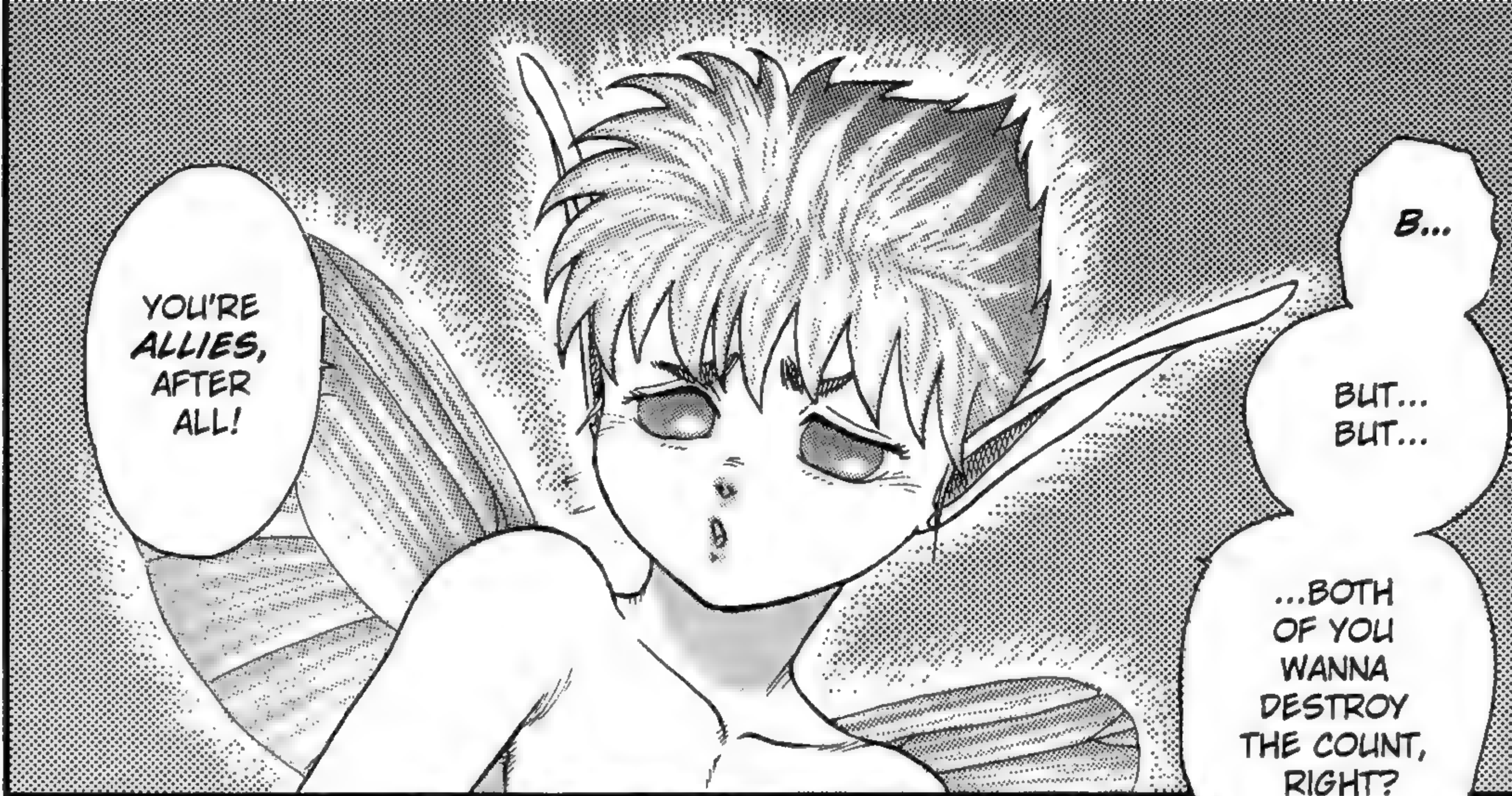












YOU'RE  
ALLIES,  
AFTER  
ALL!

B...

BUT...  
BUT...

...BOTH  
OF YOU  
WANNA  
DESTROY  
THE COUNT,  
RIGHT?



I CAN'T BE  
BOTHERED BY  
SOME GOOD-  
FOR-NOTHIN'  
BASTARD  
ACTING LIKE  
WE'RE  
FRIENDS.

HA- HA!  
HA- HA!  
HA- HA!

ALLIES?!  
ME AND  
HIM?!

...!

HE'LL  
END UP  
DRAGGIN'  
ME DOWN  
WITH HIM.

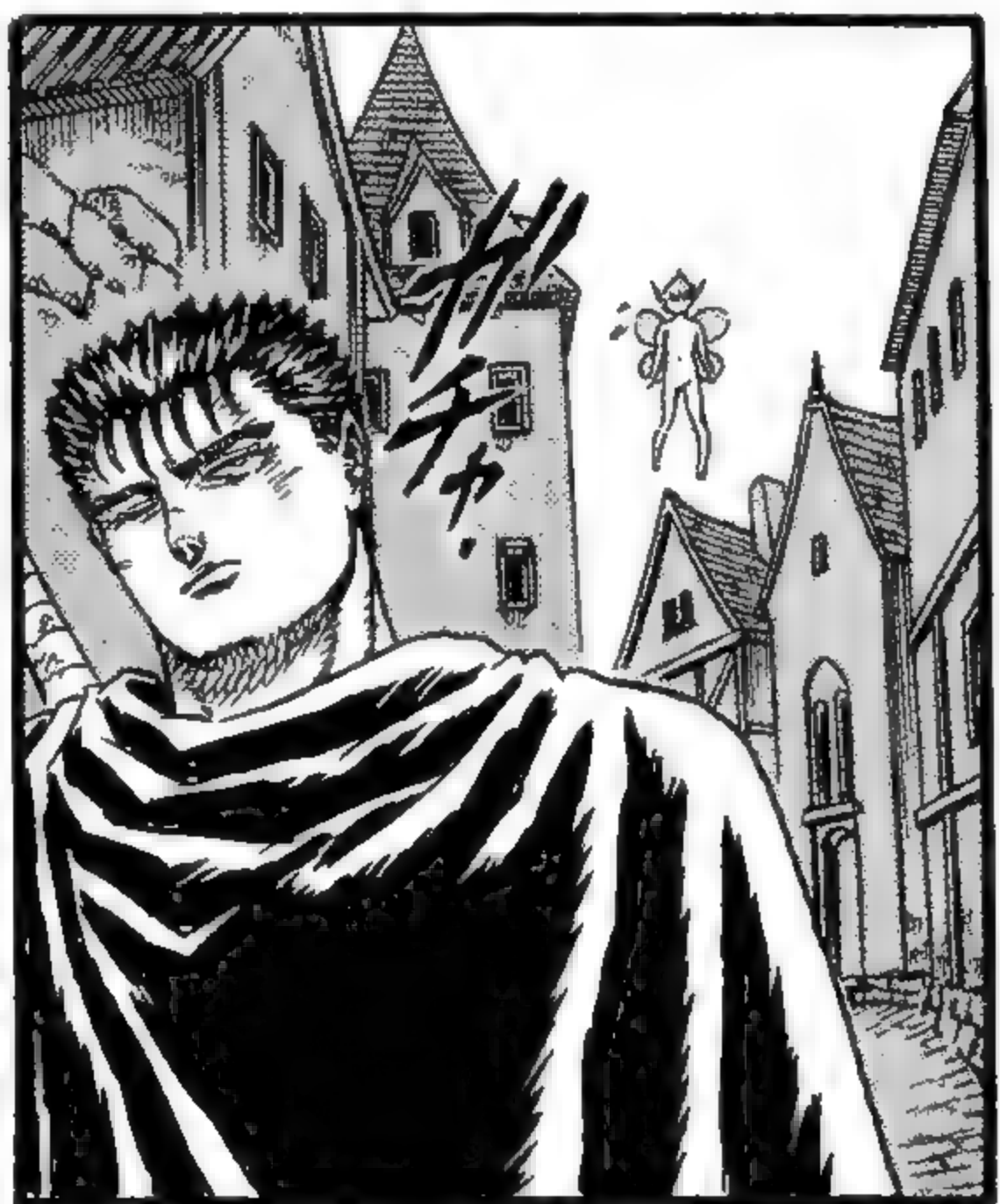
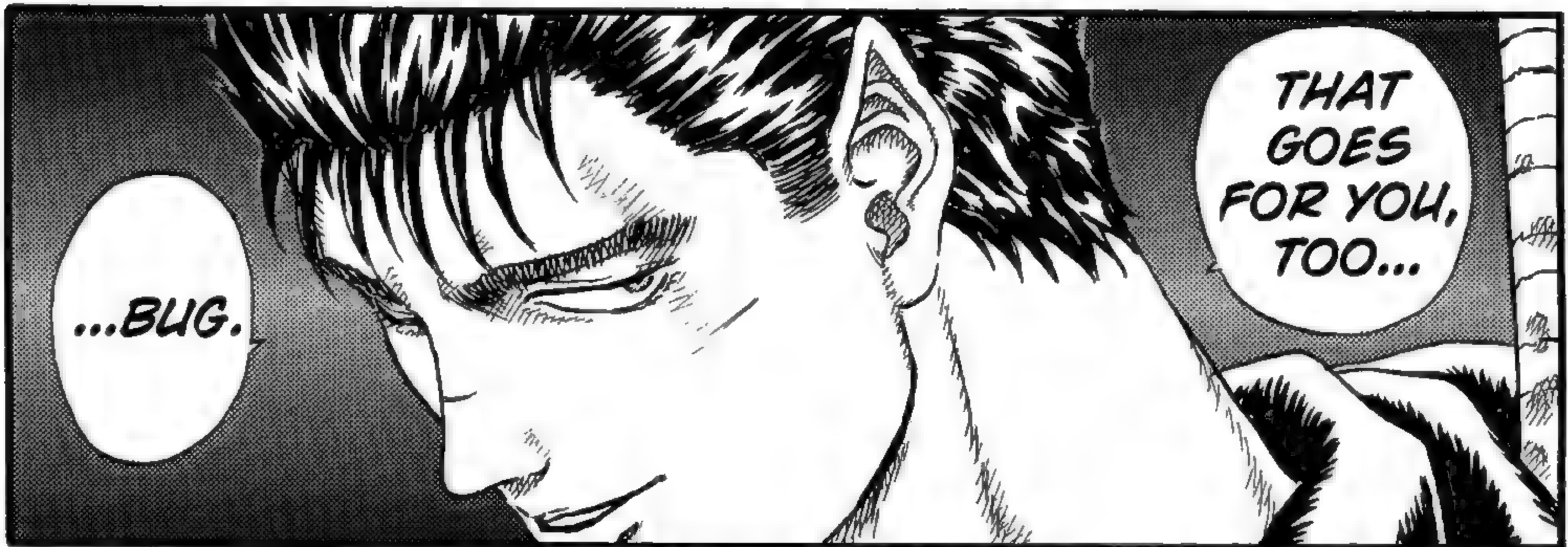
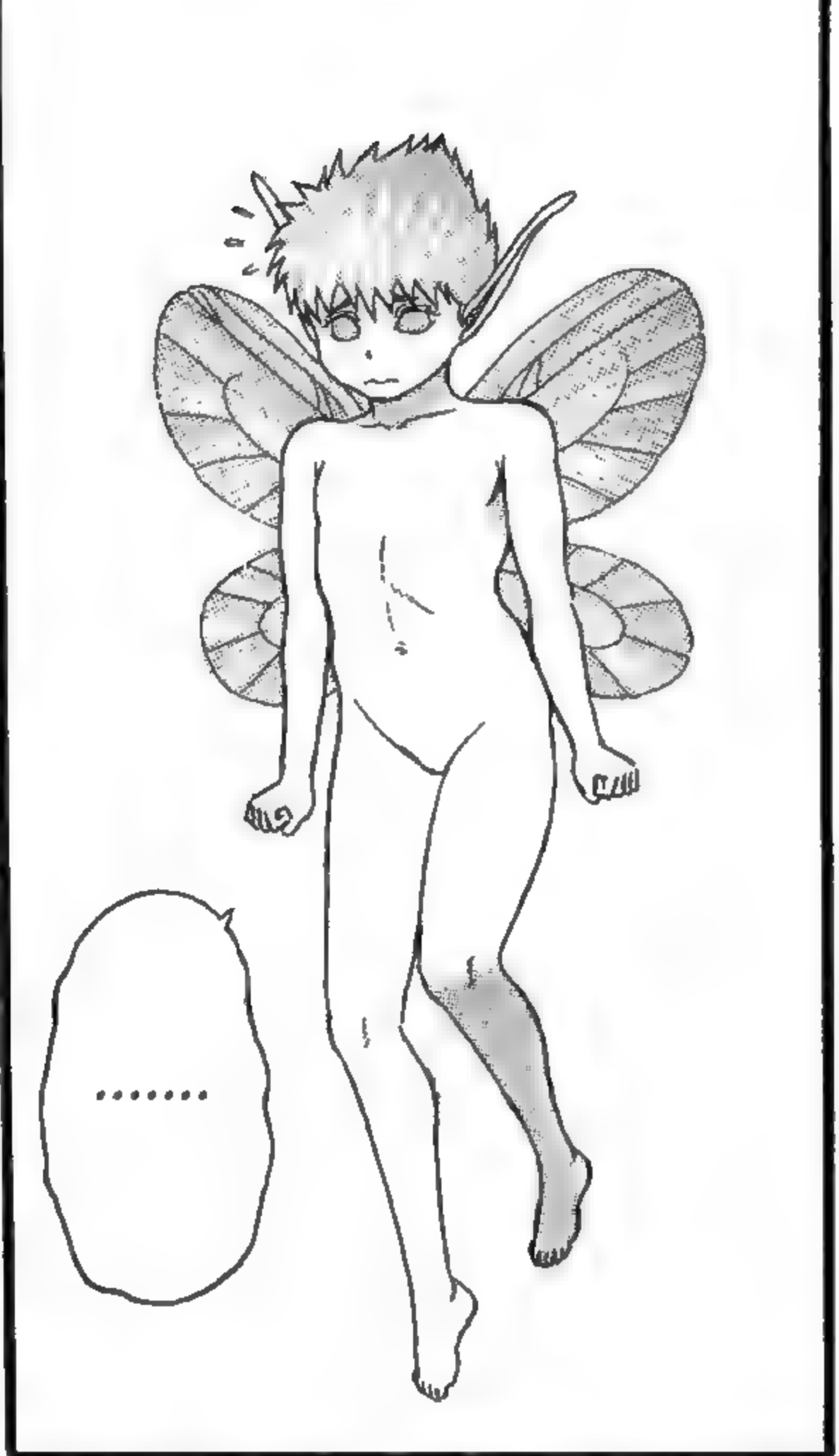
-HMPH!-

HOW  
COULD  
YOU?!

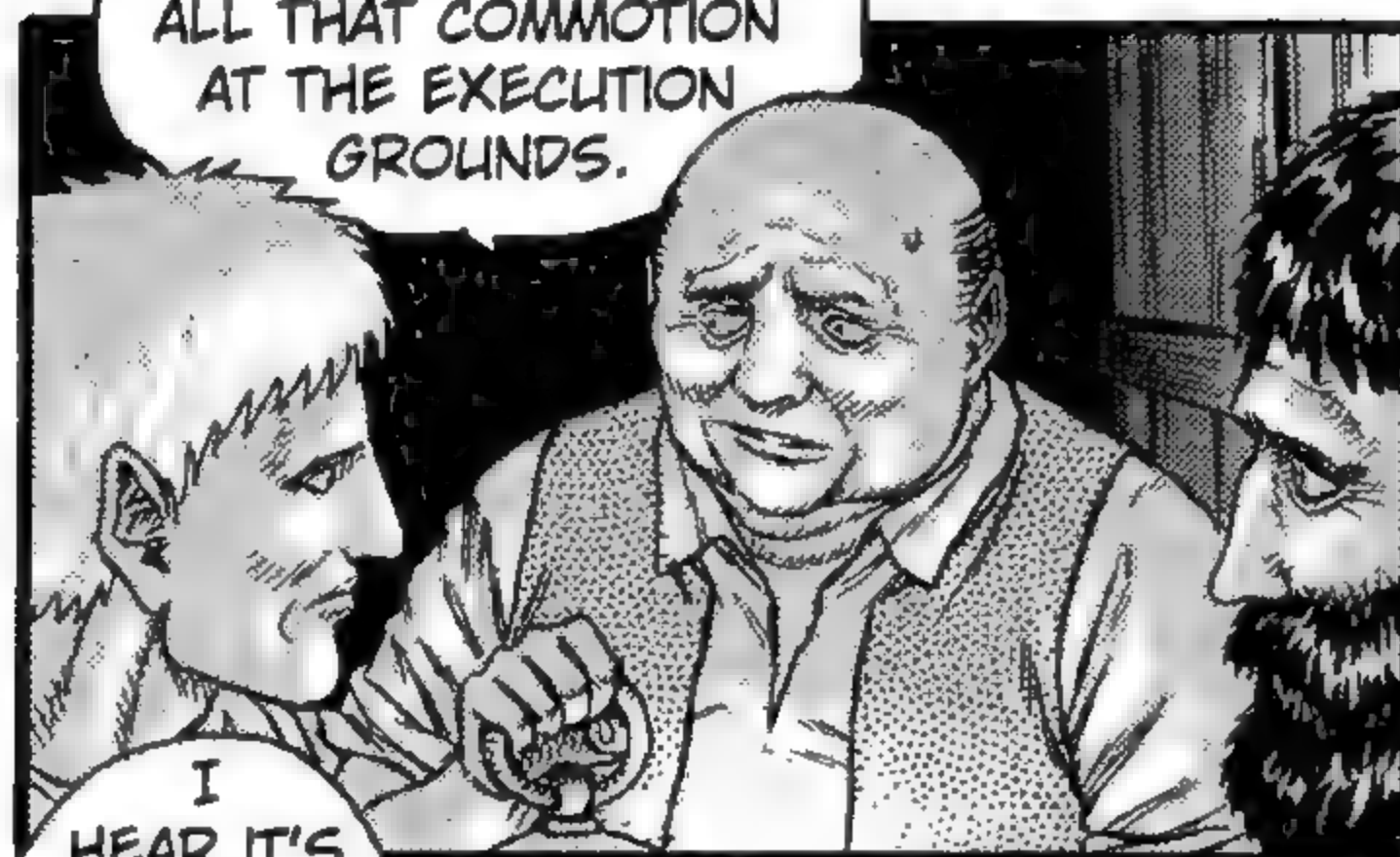
EVEN WHEN  
HE BEGGED  
ME, I TURNED  
HIM DOWN.  
THAT  
MAGGOTY  
CREEP.

YOU'RE  
KIDDING  
ME,  
RIGHT?

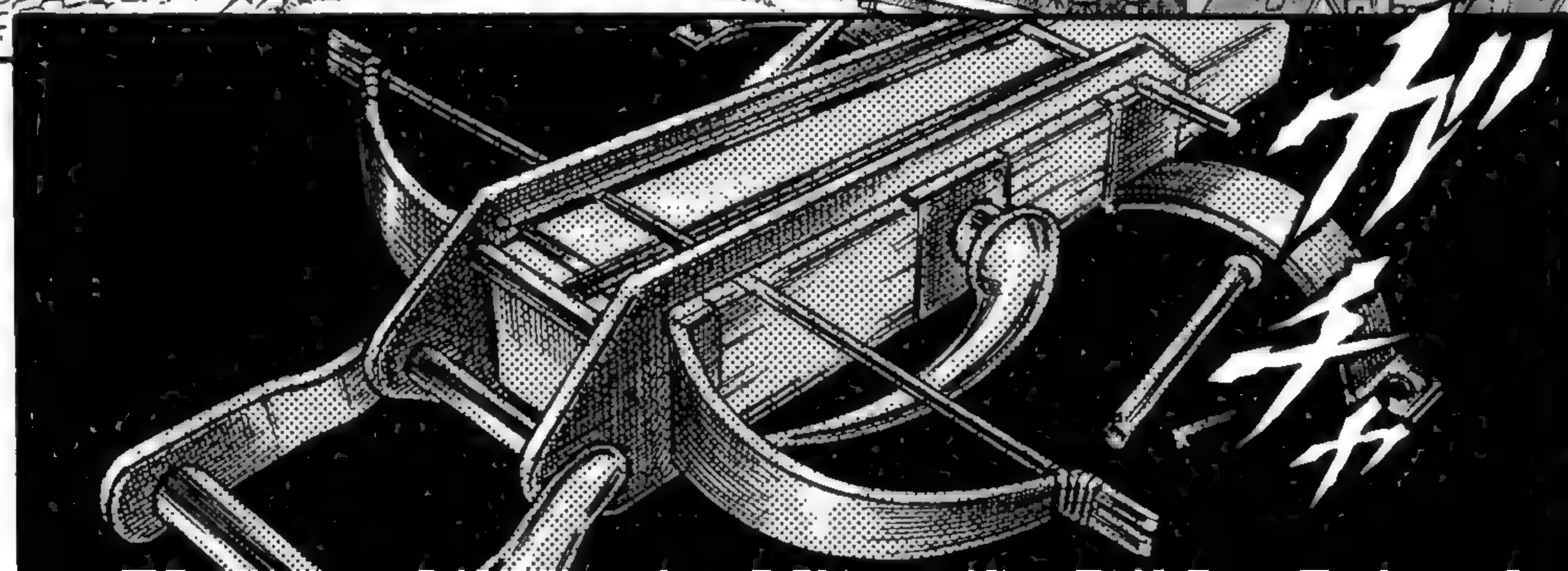








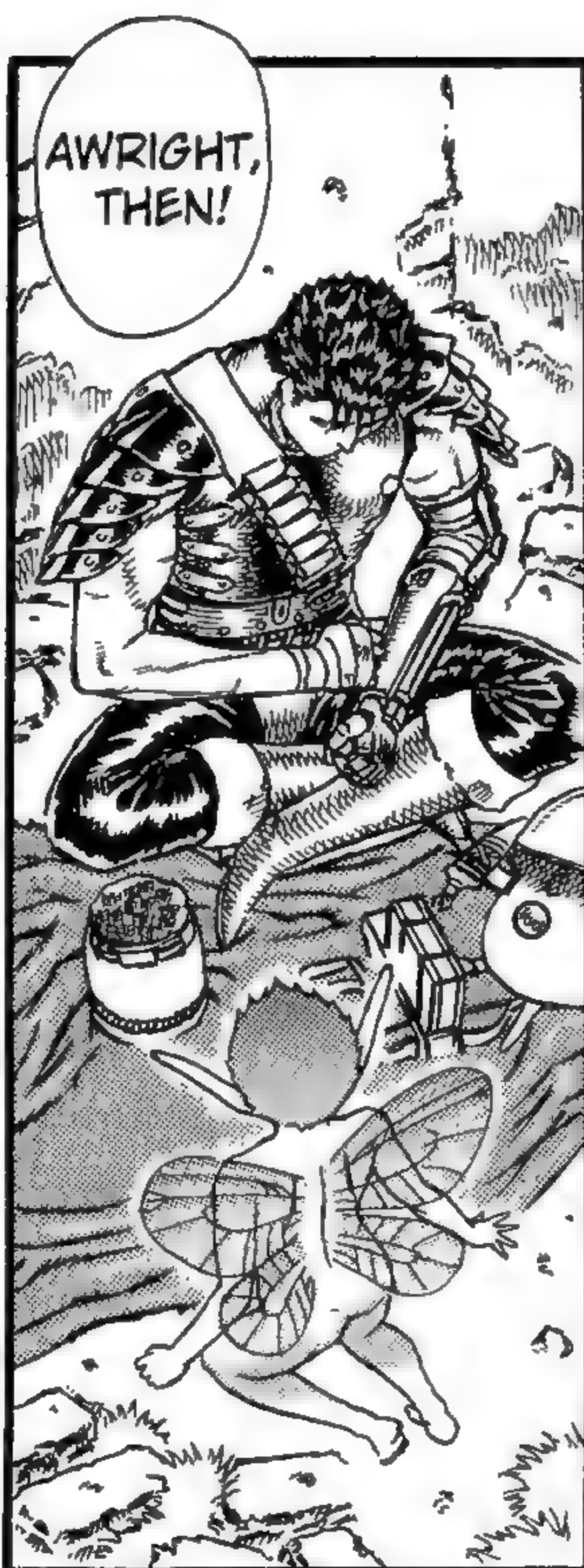
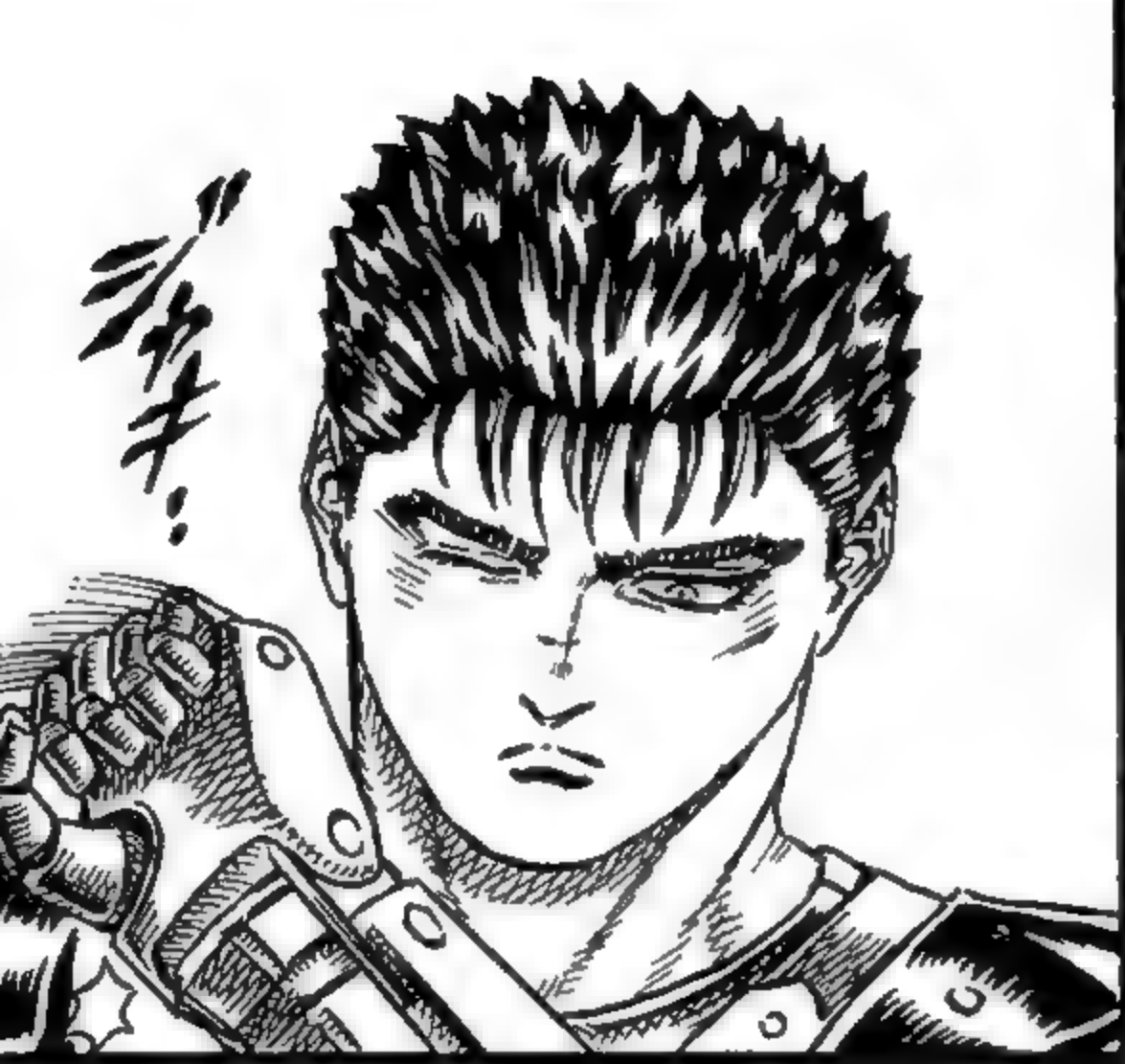




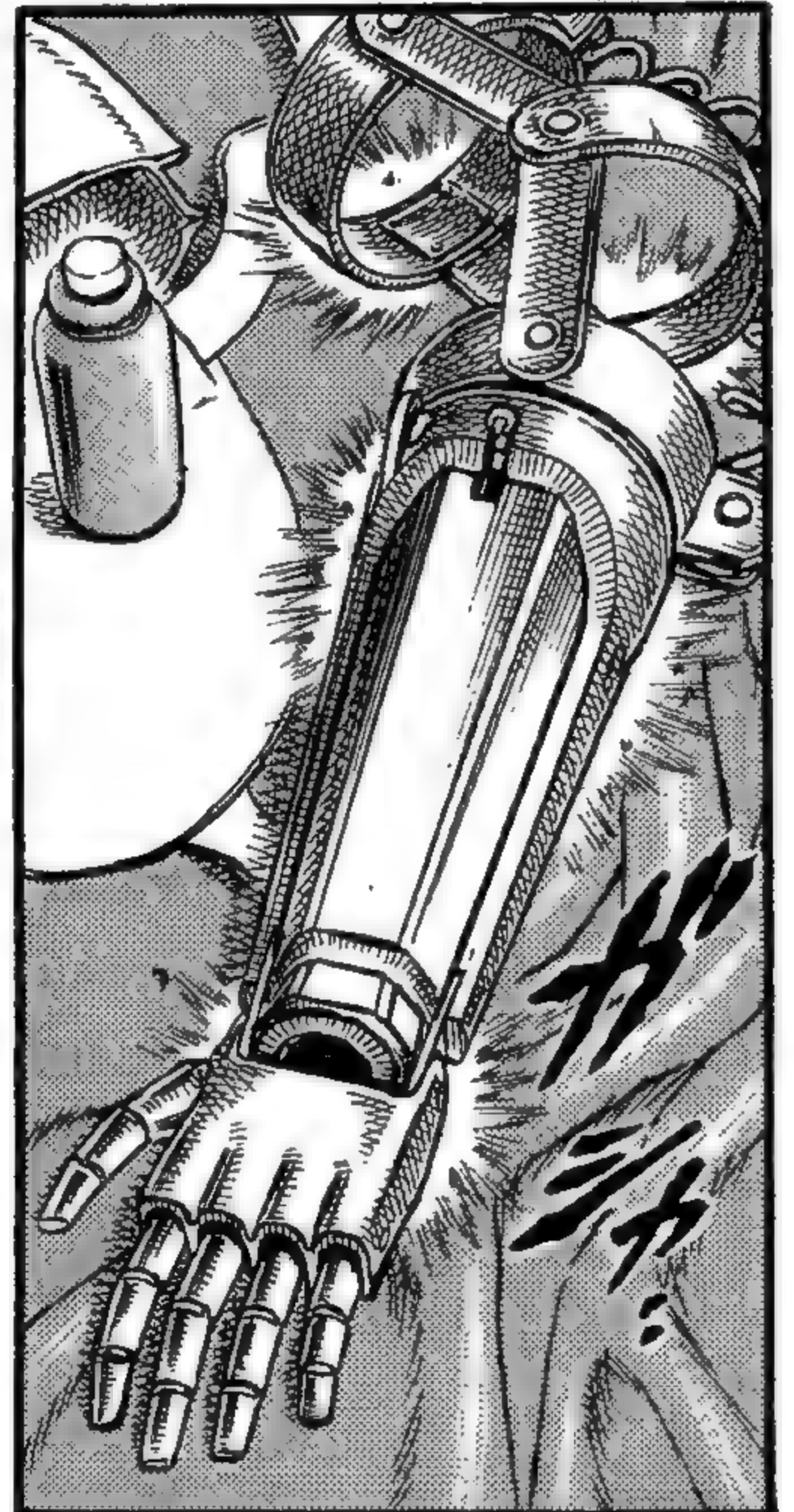
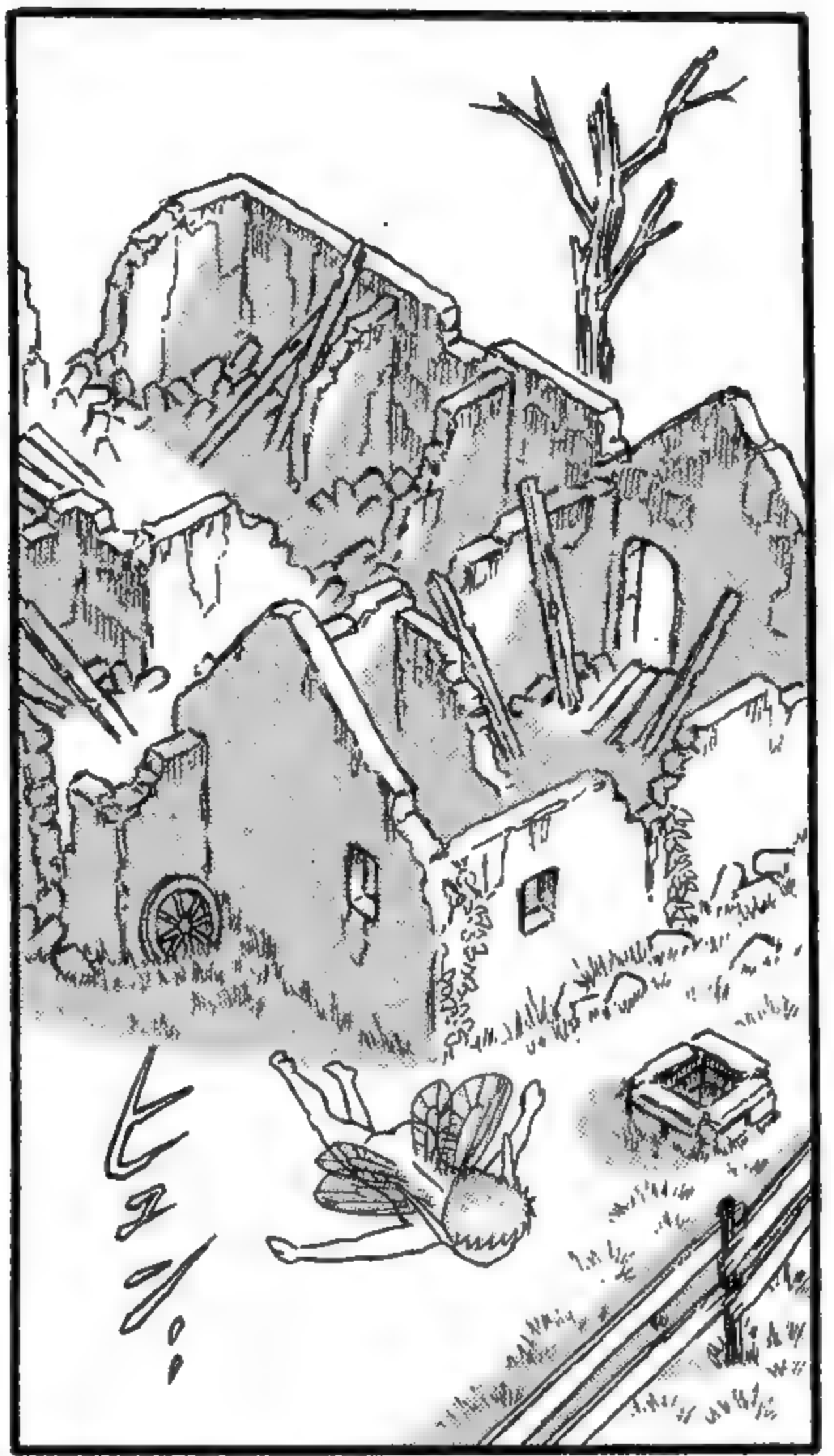
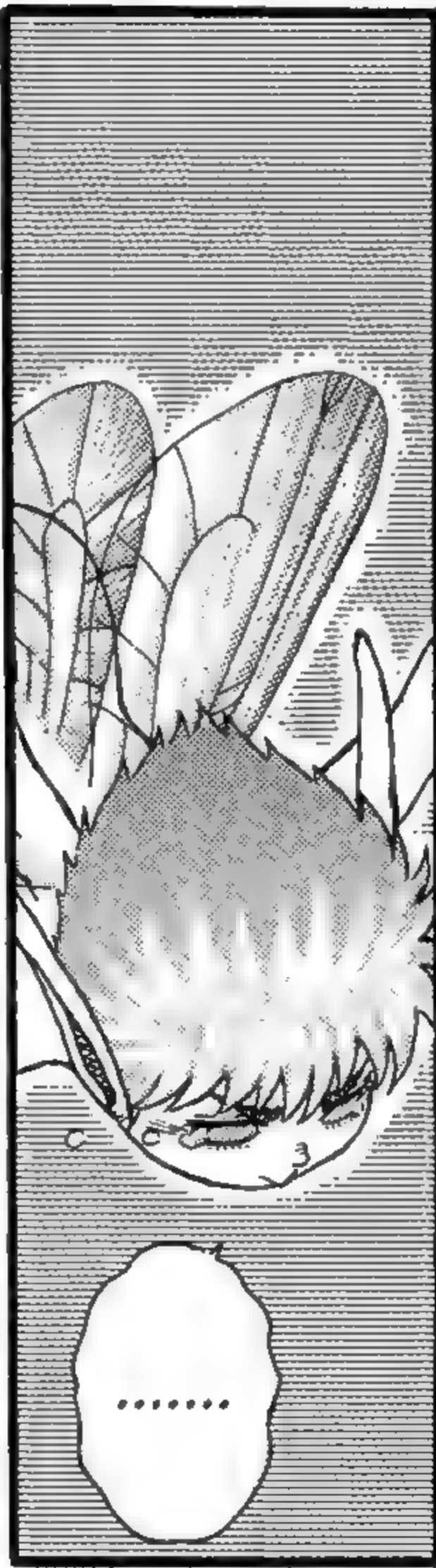




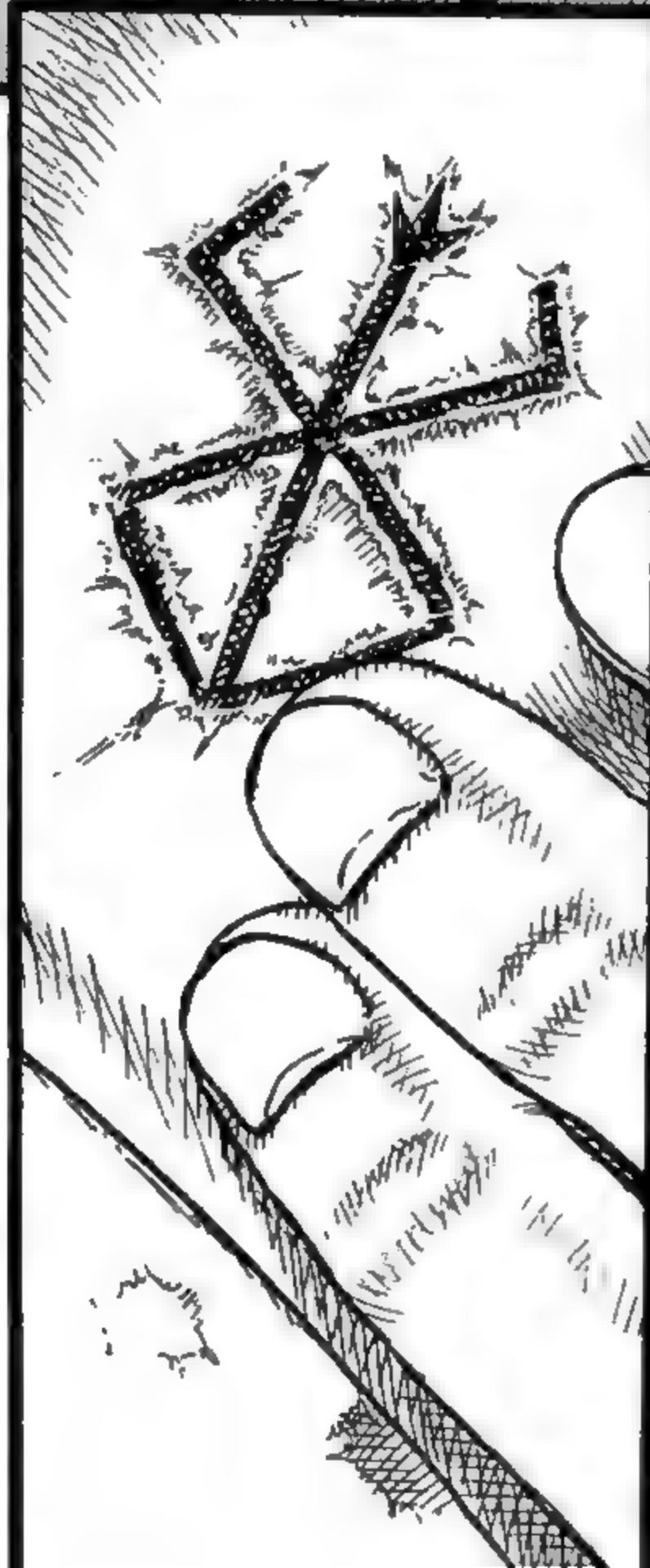
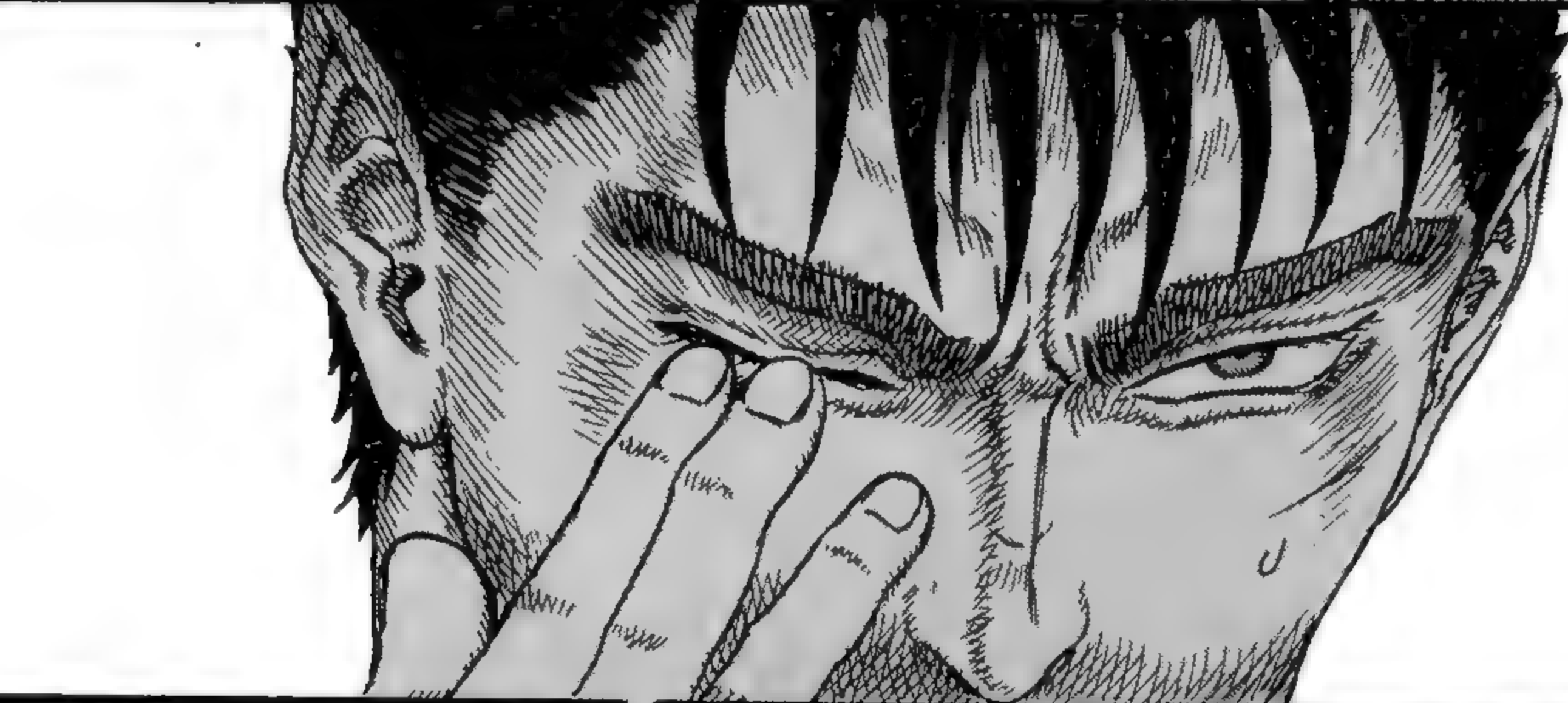
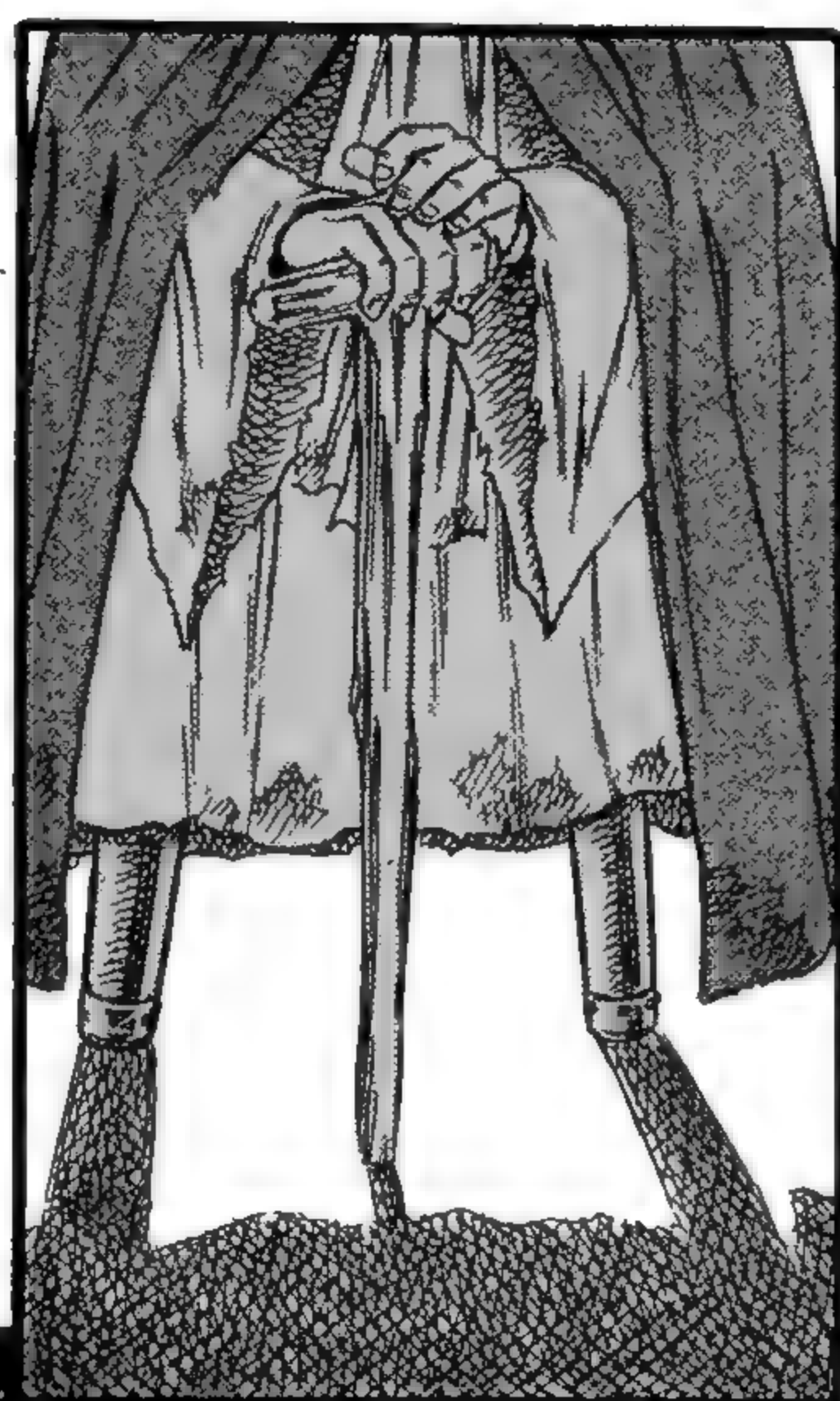












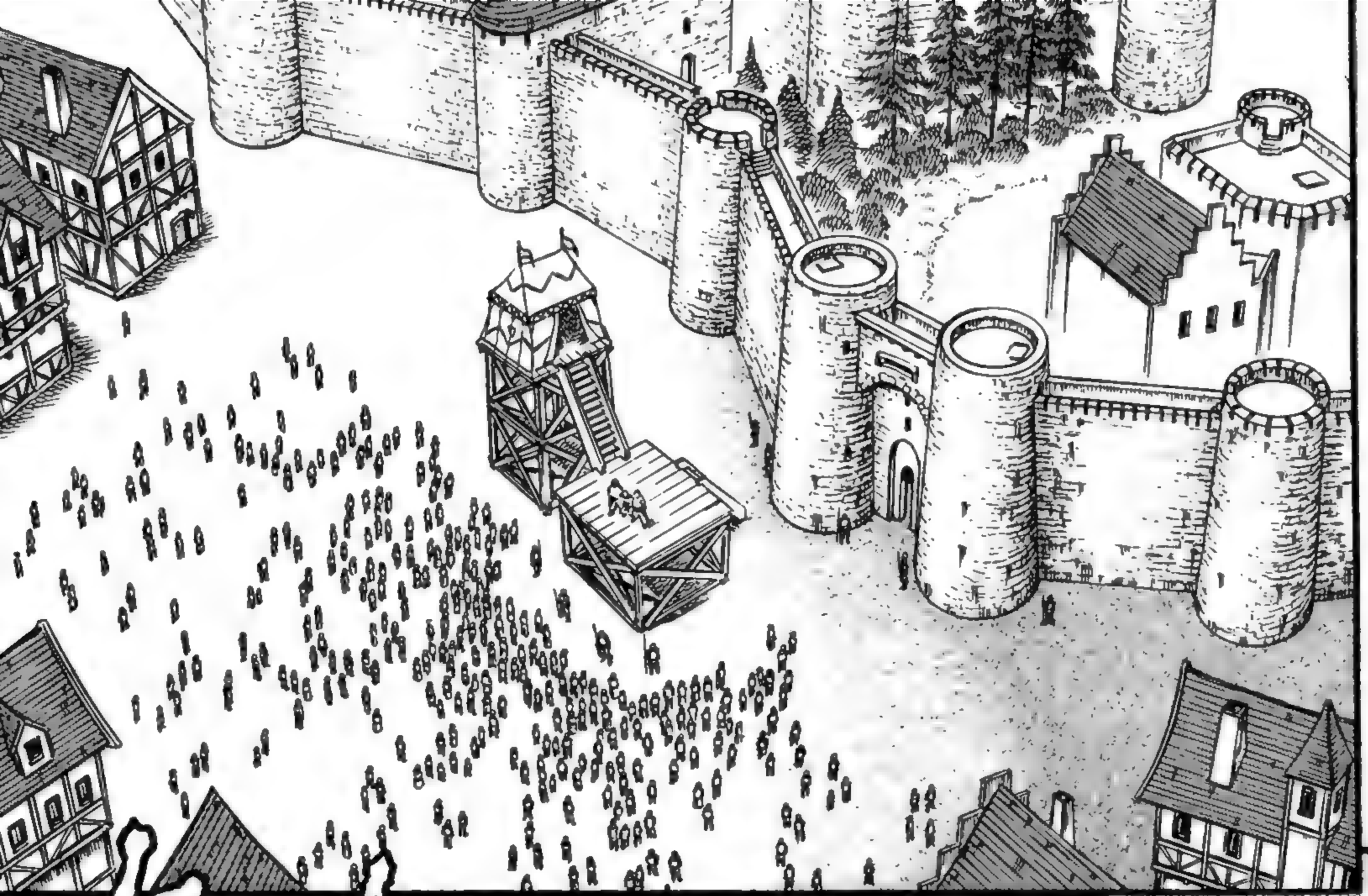


...  
**AVENGE  
ME!!**

**PLEASE**  
...











.....

WHAT  
ARE YOU  
GLARING  
AT?

HO  
HO!



WHAT  
HAS IT  
BEEN,  
SEVEN  
YEARS  
NOW?



YOUR MAJESTY,  
THE **OBJECT** YOU  
MENTIONED IS  
NOWHERE TO BE  
FOUND.

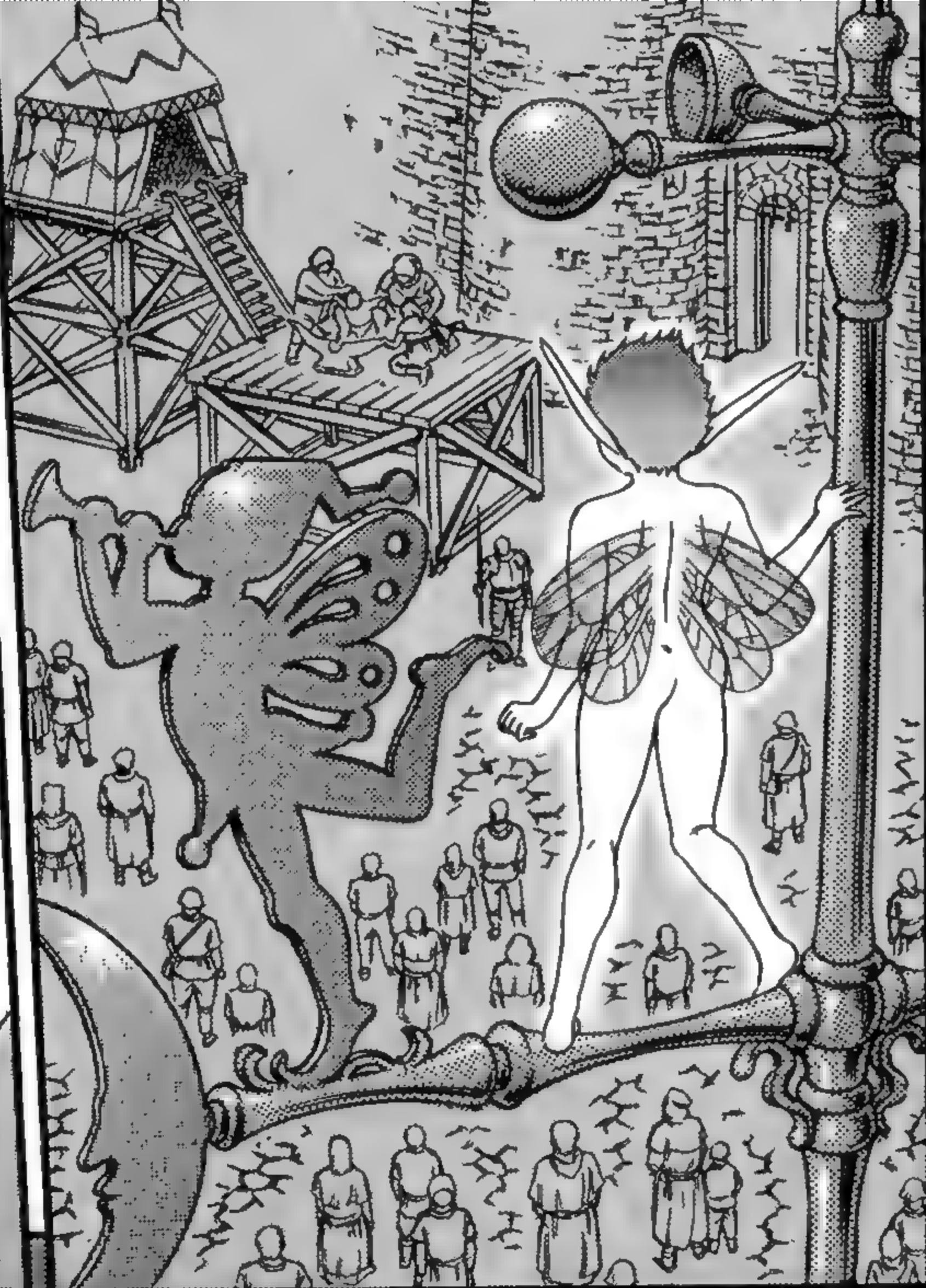
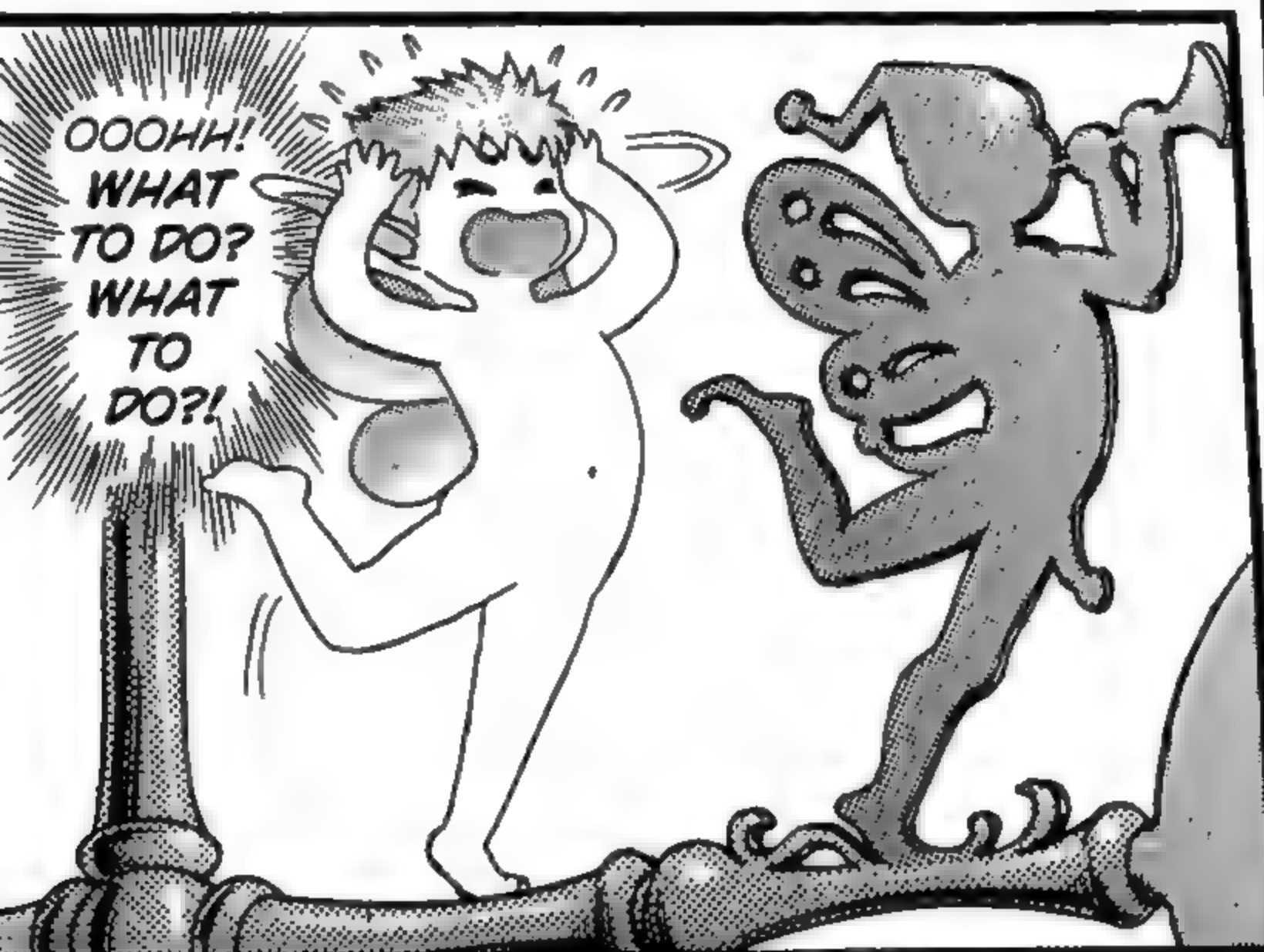
NORMALLY, WE'D NEED  
TO GIVE YOU A PAINSTAKING  
INTERROGATION...BUT I'VE DECIDED  
TO GET IT OVER WITH AND  
EXECUTE YOU RIGHT AWAY.  
YOU SHOULD BE GRATEFUL.



SO THE  
**BLACK  
SWORDS-  
MAN**  
HAS IT...

I  
SEE.









THERE  
IS SOME  
GOOD  
IN YOU!

I  
KNEW  
YOU'D  
COME!!

...!



-PANT-  
-PANT-  
...

SO,  
WHADYA  
GONNA  
DO?

YOU  
BETTER  
HURRY  
UP OR  
THE OLD  
FELLA'S  
GONNA...



...TO  
WATCH  
HIM  
DIE.

I  
JUST  
CAME  
TO  
WATCH...



...YOU  
GOT IT  
ALL  
WRONG!



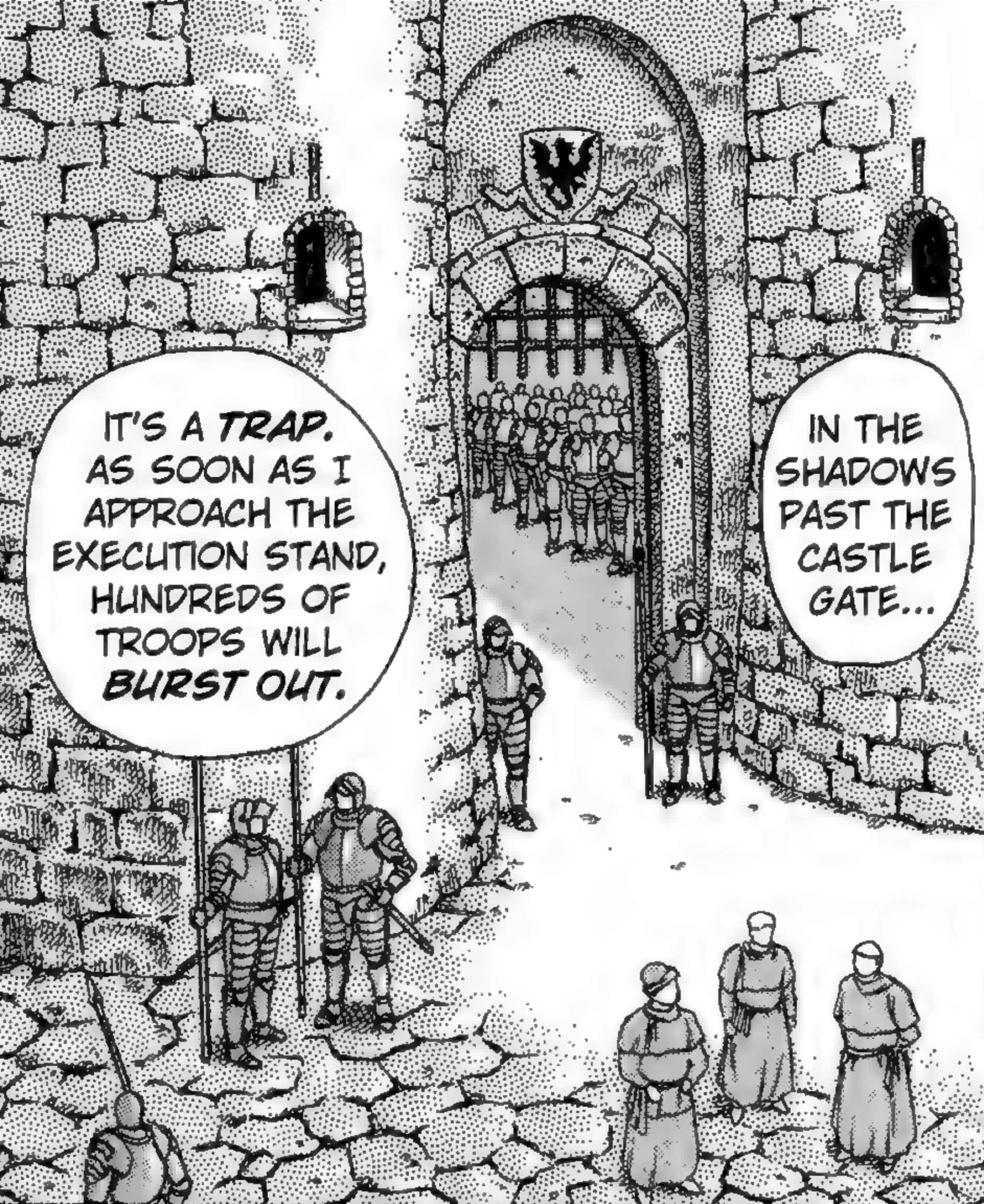
YOU  
...

...!

HUH?

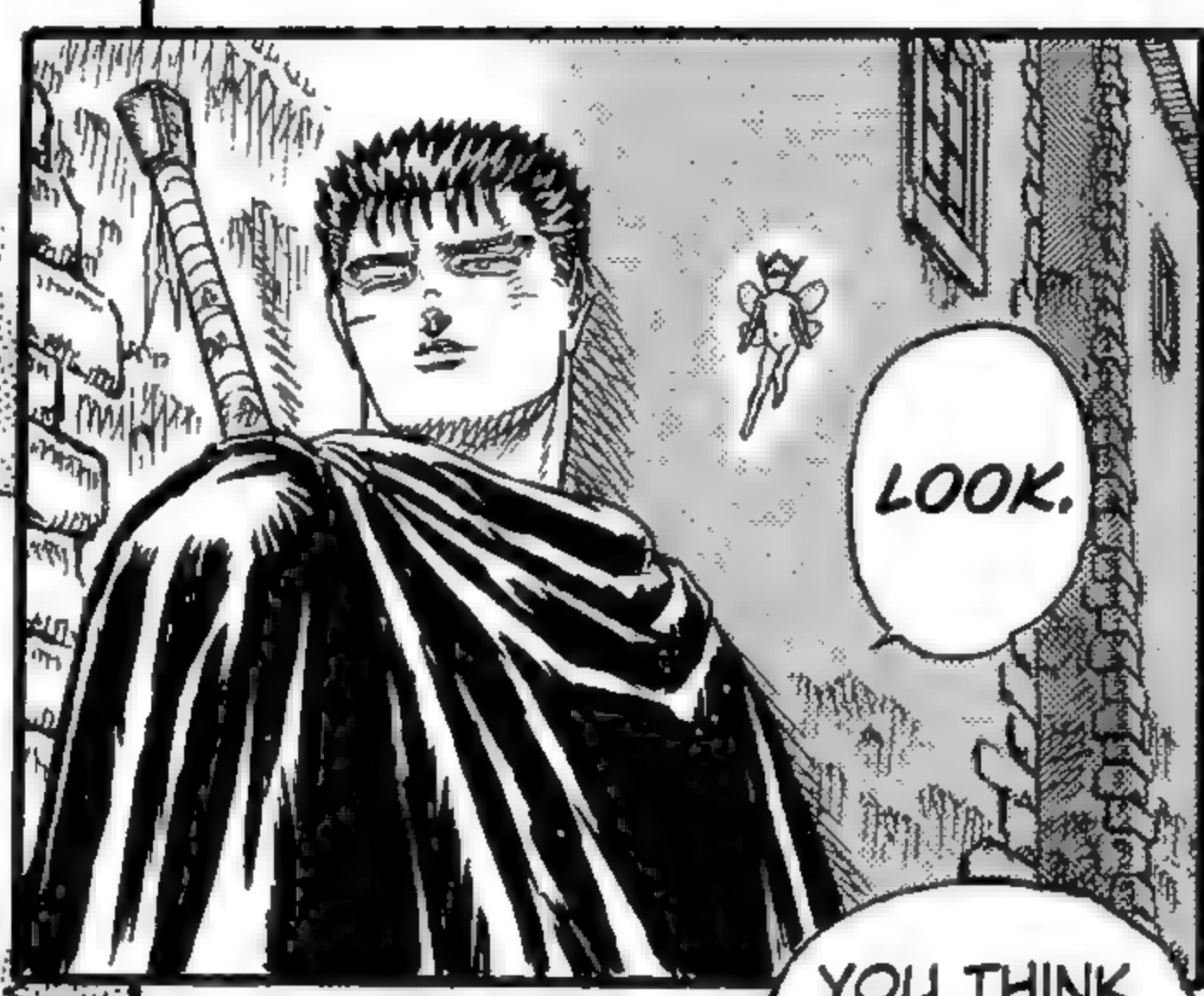






IT'S A **TRAP**.  
AS SOON AS I  
APPROACH THE  
EXECUTION STAND,  
HUNDREDS OF  
TROOPS WILL  
**BURST OUT**.

IN THE  
SHADOWS  
PAST THE  
CASTLE  
GATE...



LOOK.



IF  
YOU'RE  
SO  
WORRIED  
ABOUT  
IT...

...WHY  
DON'T  
YOU  
SAVE  
'IM?

!



YOU THINK  
I'M SO  
**NOBLE** THAT  
I'LL JUST  
WALK RIGHT  
INTO THEIR  
**TRAP?**



-GULP!-



BUT  
...

BUT...

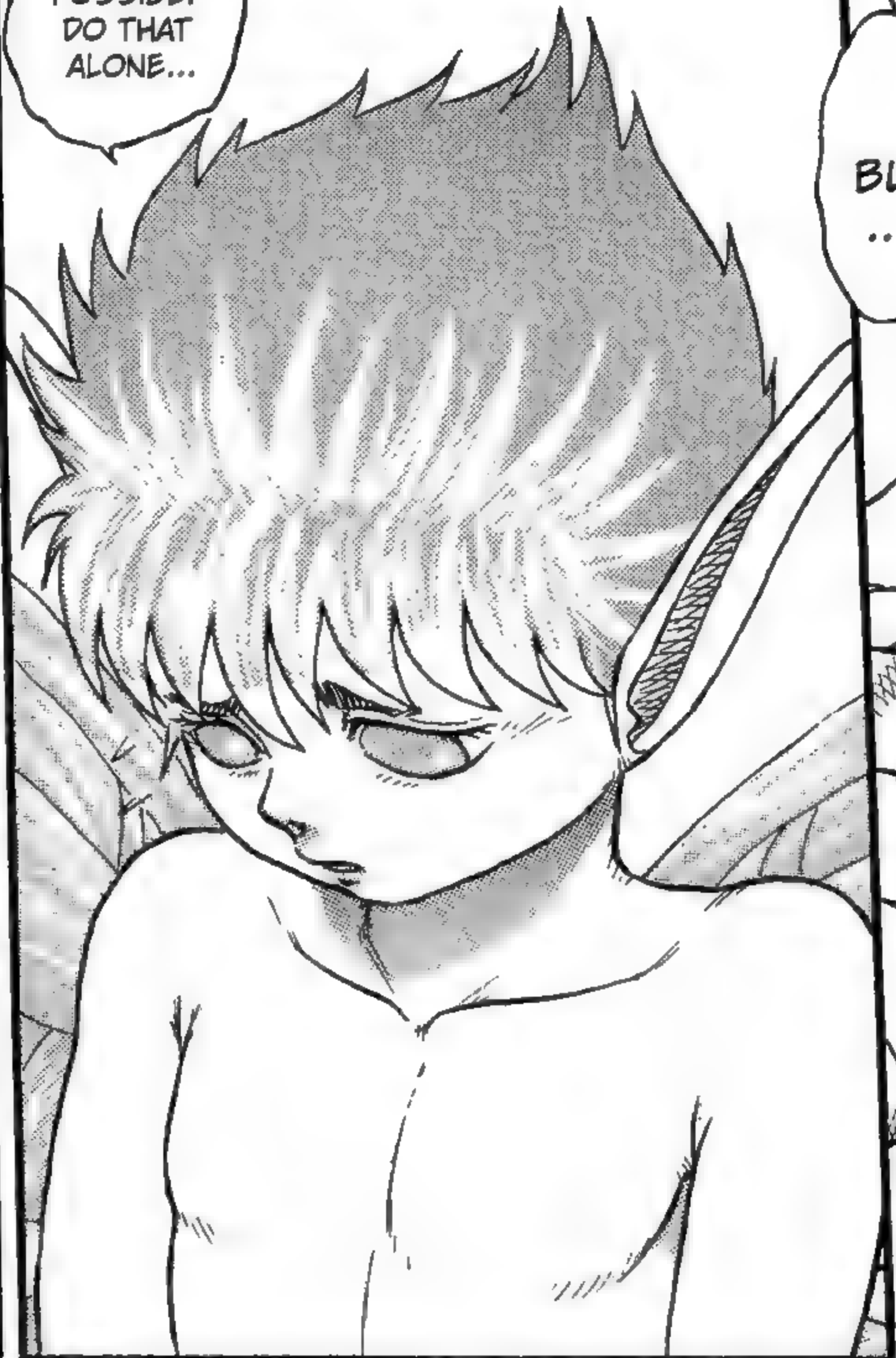




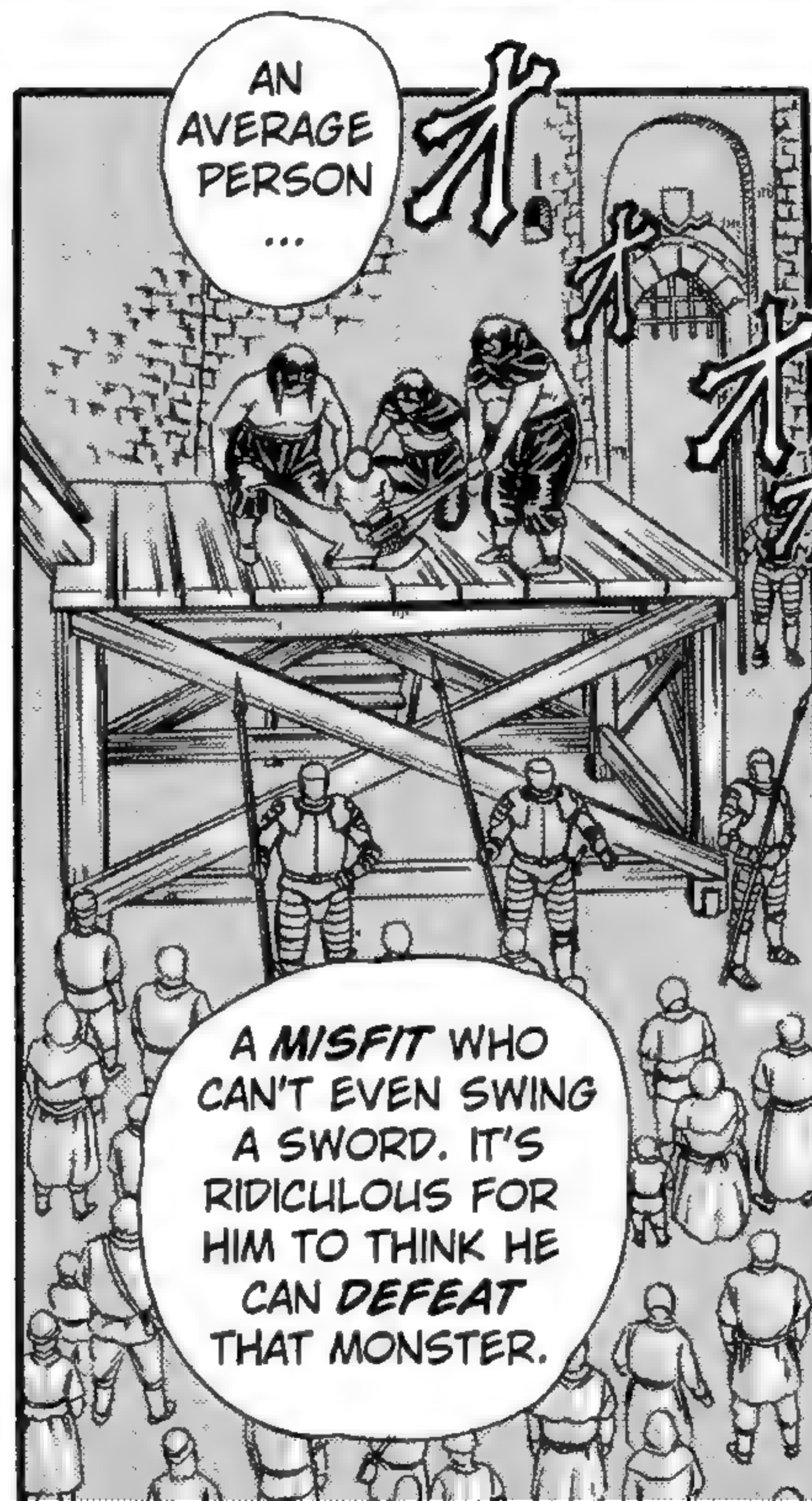
...I  
COULDN'T  
POSSIBLY  
DO THAT  
ALONE...



THEN  
SHUT  
UP.



.....  
BUT  
....  
トン



AN  
AVERAGE  
PERSON  
...

A MISFIT WHO  
CAN'T EVEN SWING  
A SWORD. IT'S  
RIDICULOUS FOR  
HIM TO THINK HE  
CAN **DEFEAT**  
THAT MONSTER.



.....



THE  
SAME  
GOES  
FOR  
HIM.





AMBITION  
COMES  
WITH A  
**PRICE**  
ATTACHED.

OF COURSE,  
THAT PRICE  
COMES TOO  
**HIGH** IF YOU  
DIE FOR  
**NOTHING.**

NOT...  
NOT AGAIN!  
LIKE  
BEFORE...

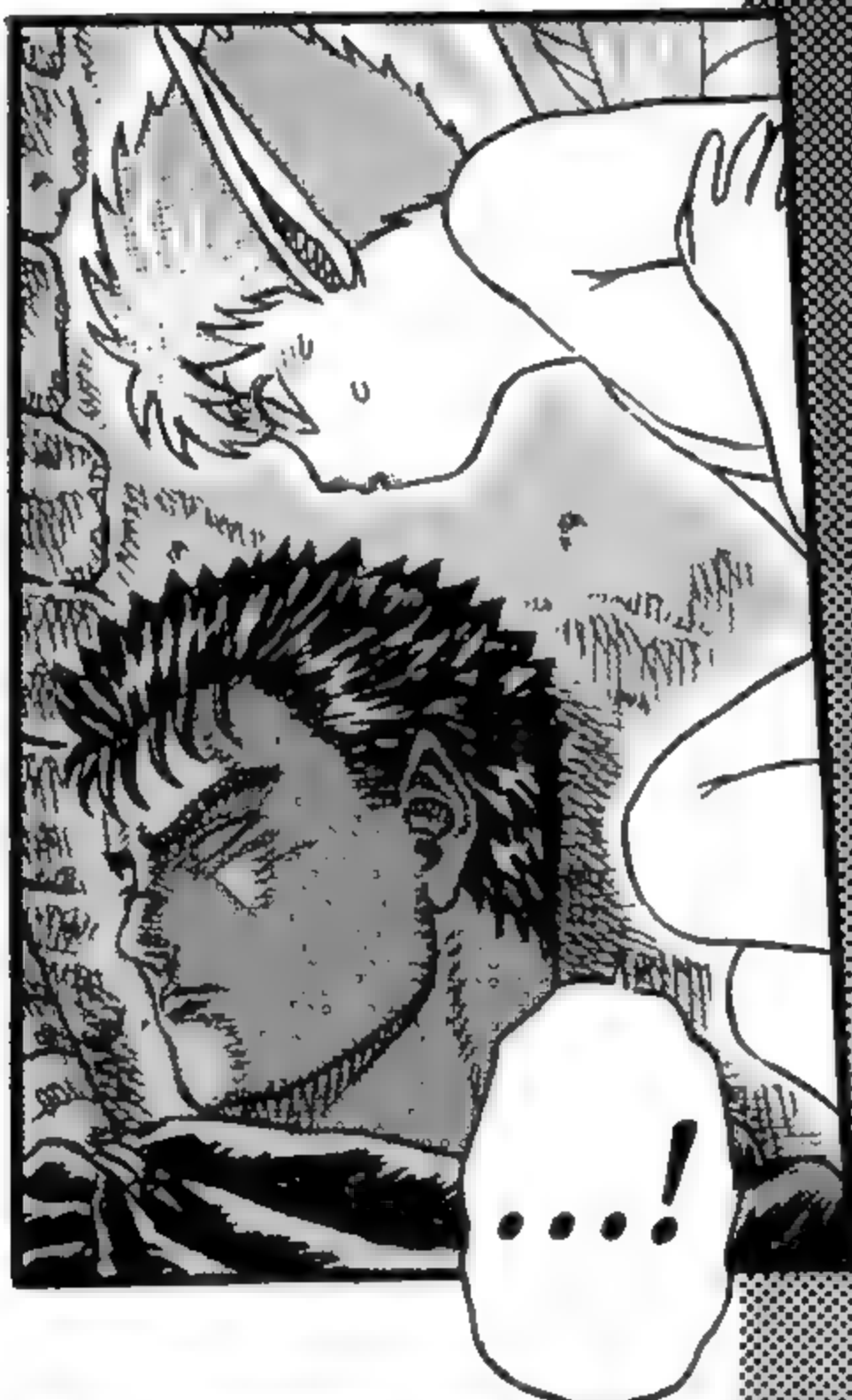
...HIS  
EMOTIONS  
ARE POURING  
INTO ME!

...IS  
**SELF-  
DESTRU-  
TION!**

THE  
REWARD  
FOR  
AMBITION  
TOO  
GREAT...

AAA...





DARK AND  
VIOLENT  
EMOTIONS,  
POUNDING  
INTO ME!  
SELF-HATING,  
DESTRUCTIVE...

**IT  
BURNS!**



BURNING  
LIKE  
**BLACK  
MAGMA!**

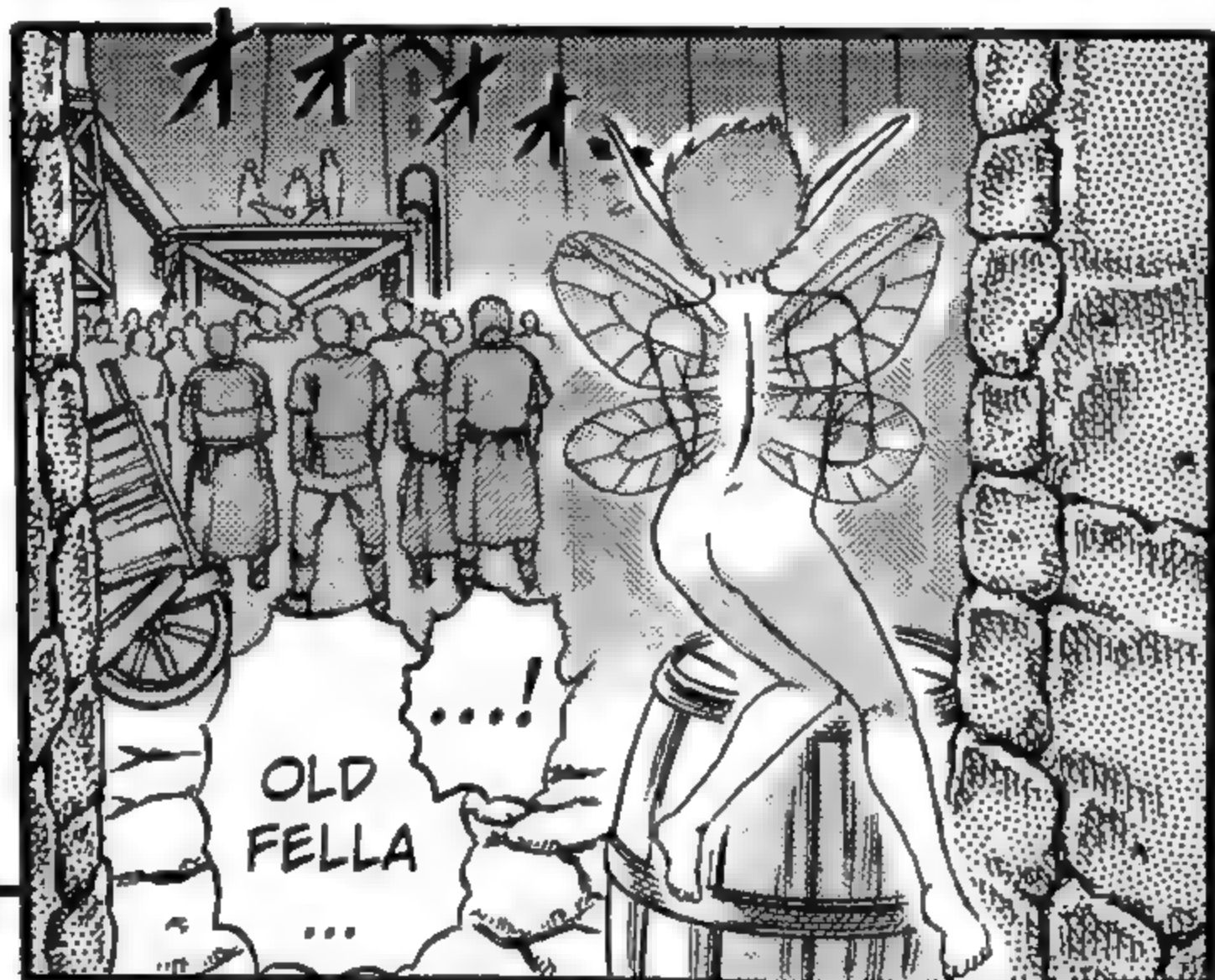


IS  
THIS...



IS  
THIS...









YEAH!

YOU  
ARE  
AFRAID...

...AFRAID TO  
ADMIT THAT  
YOU'RE  
ALSO  
FIGHTIN'  
A LOSING  
BATTLE.

YOU DON'T  
WANNA ADMIT  
THAT YOU'RE  
JUST LIKE  
HIM...



WHAT'RE  
YOU  
TALKIN'  
ABOUT?

....!



...FIGHTING  
ENEMIES  
HE CAN'T  
POSSIBLY  
DEFEAT.

YOU'RE  
AFRAID  
OF HIM,  
AREN'T  
YOU?

THE  
OLD  
FELLA...



...WELL THEN  
WHY'D YOU  
COME HERE?!

WELL  
...

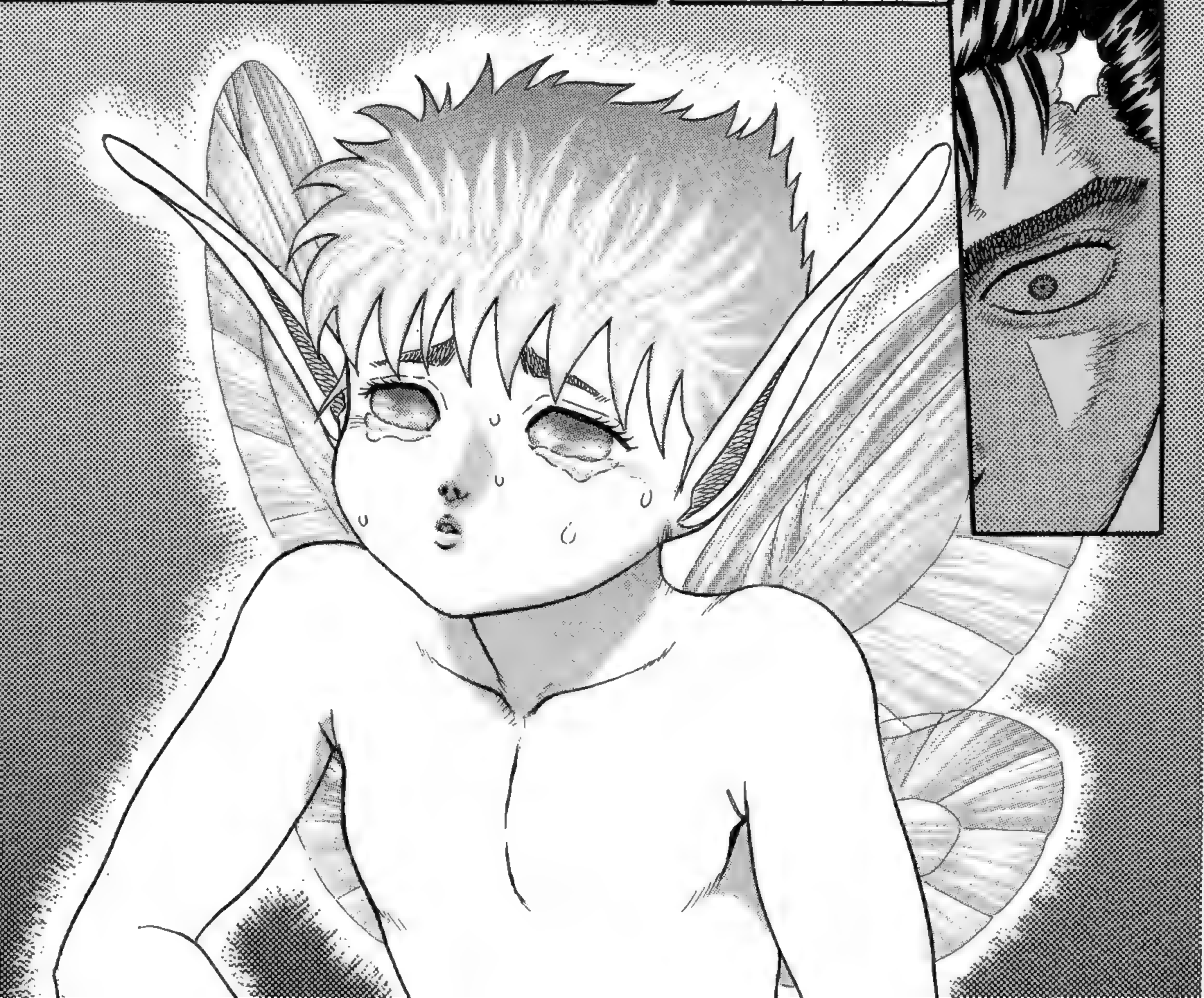
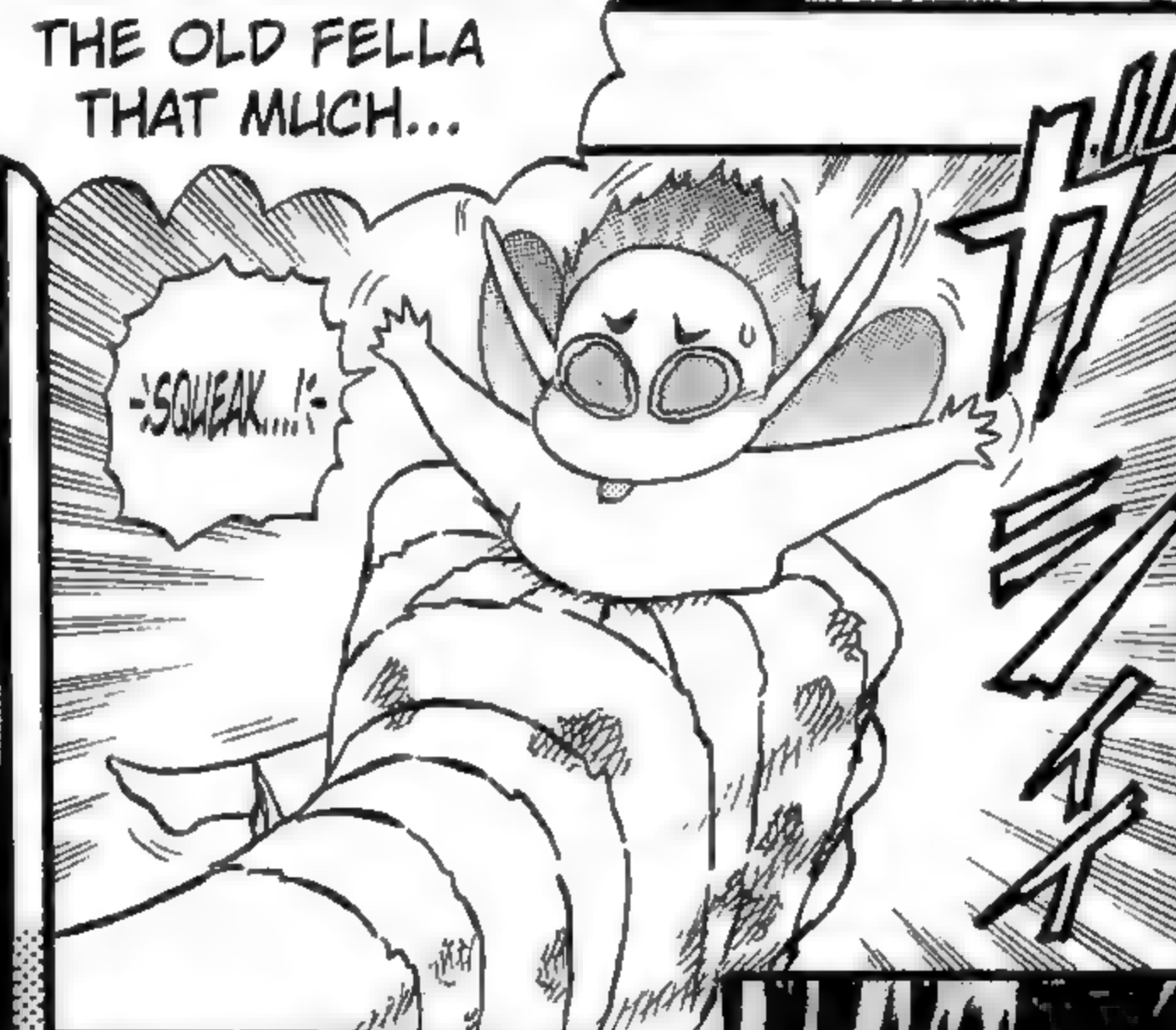


->BAH!<-

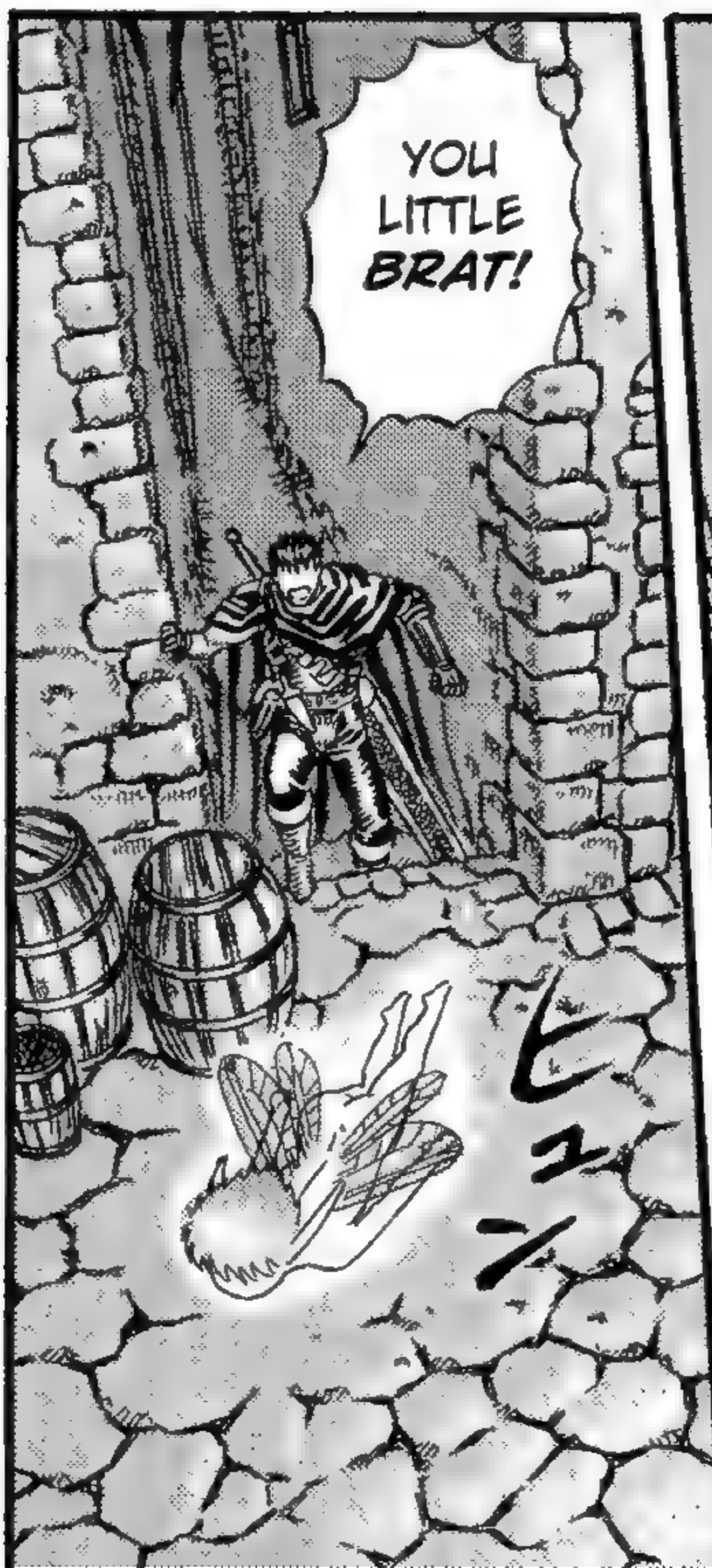


....!











SHOULD  
I FEEL...

...COM-  
PASSION?



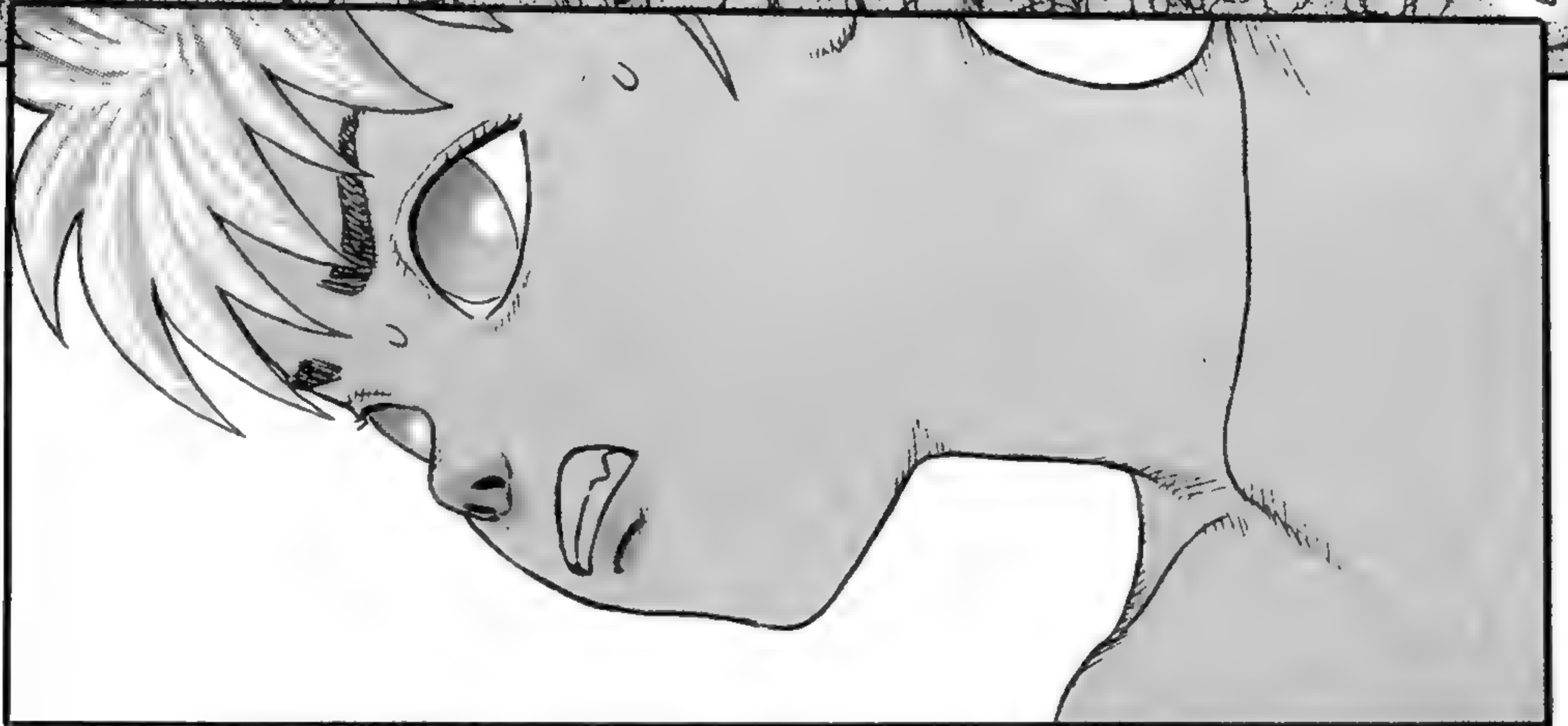
DAMN  
BUG!



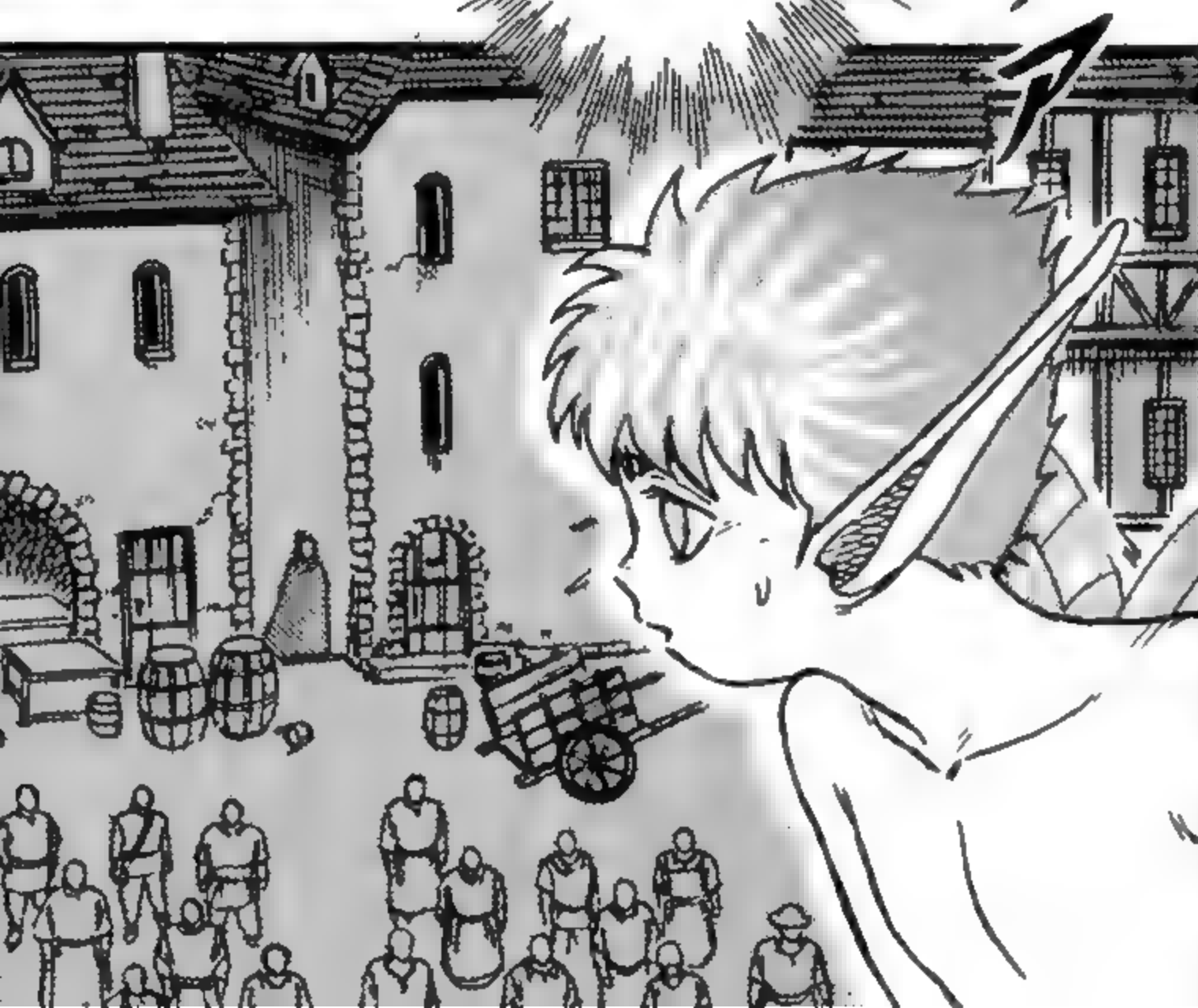
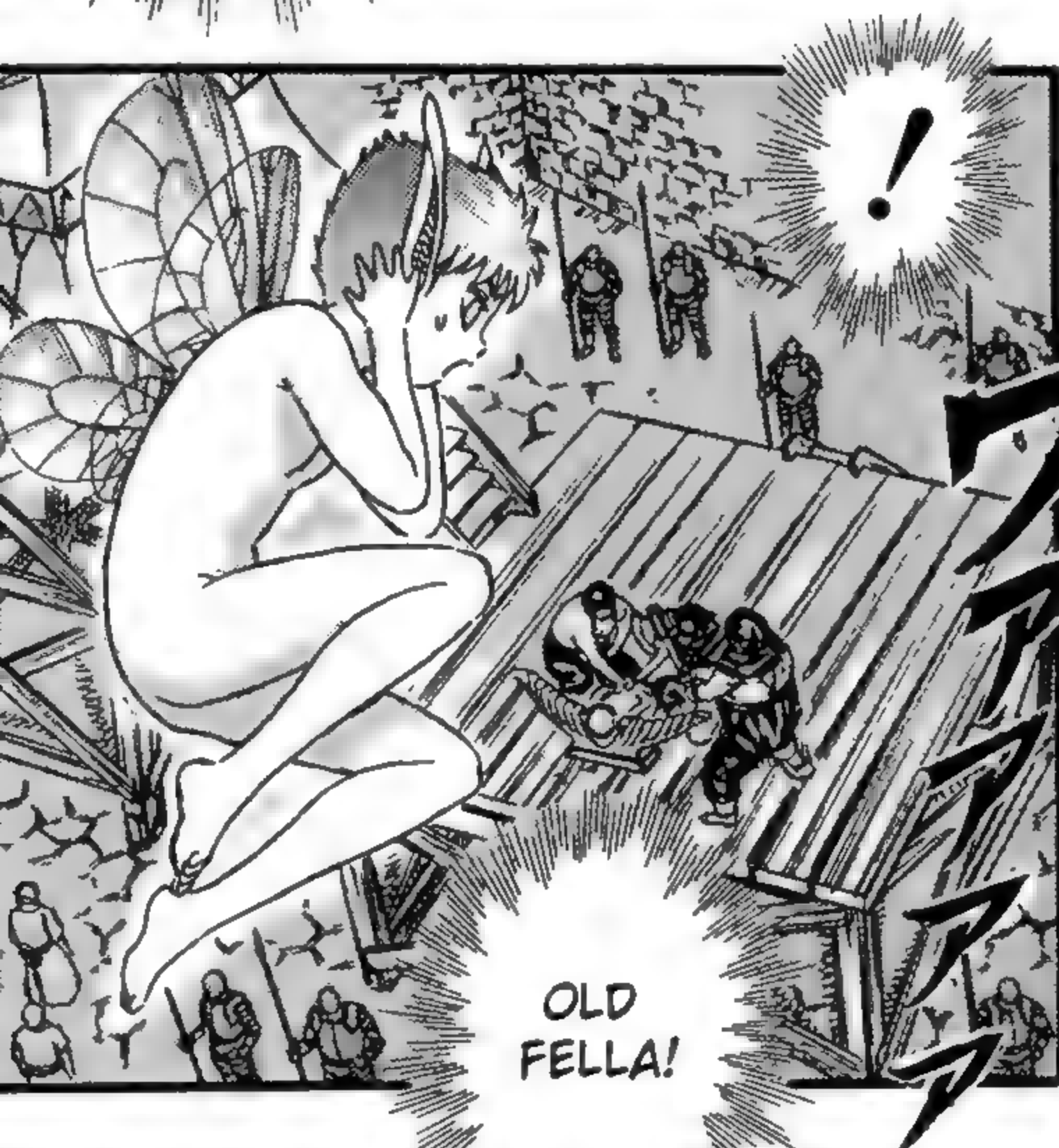
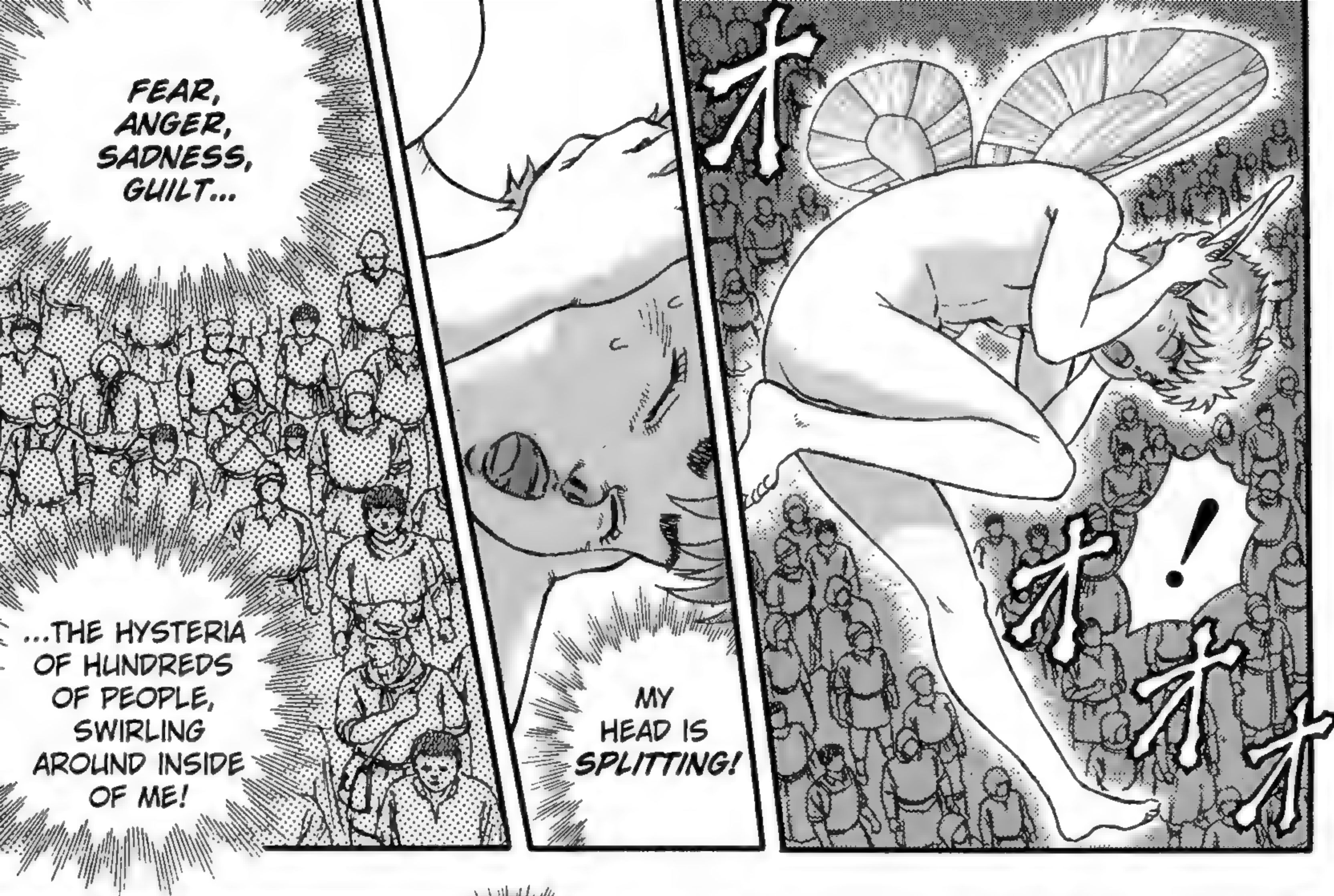
YOU  
GOTTA  
BE  
KIDDING  
ME!!



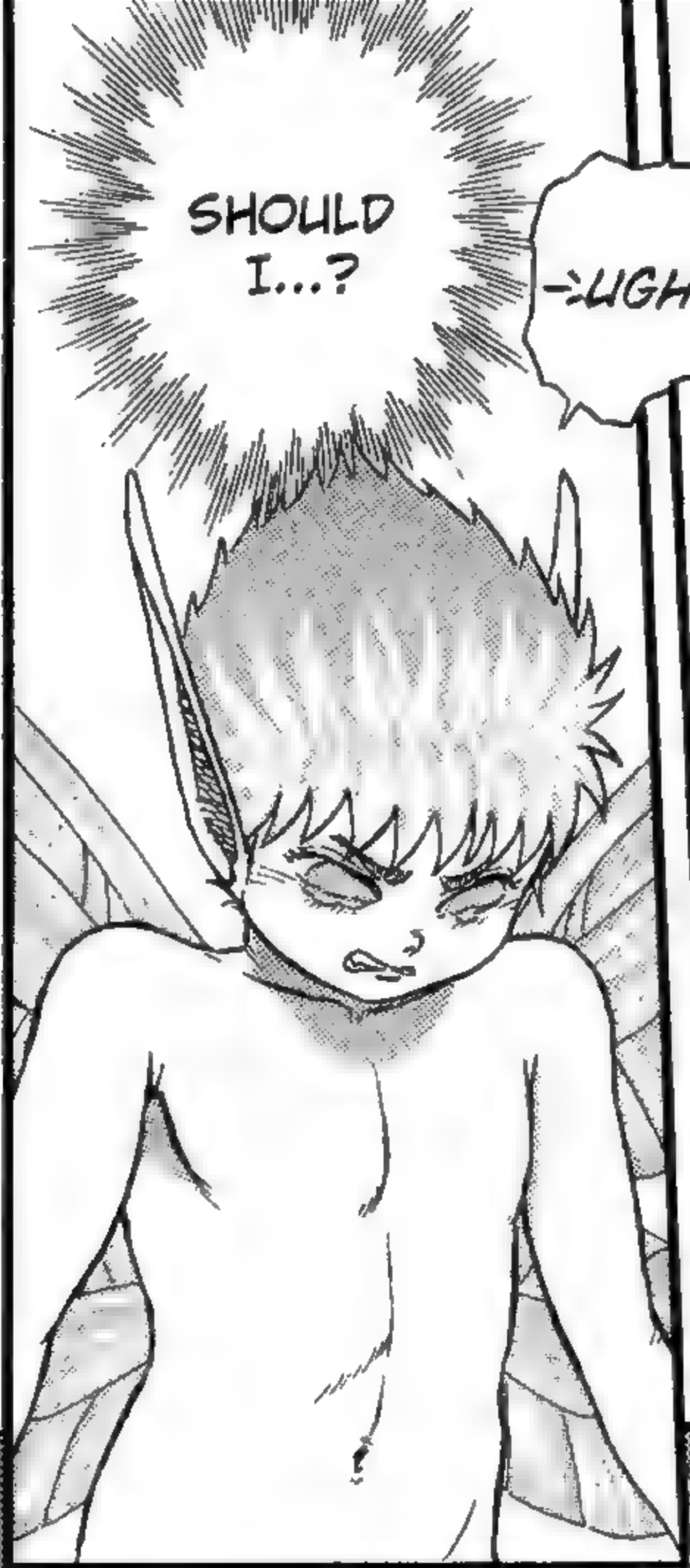












SHOULD  
I...?

-LIGH-



.....



手:



SHOULD  
I...?

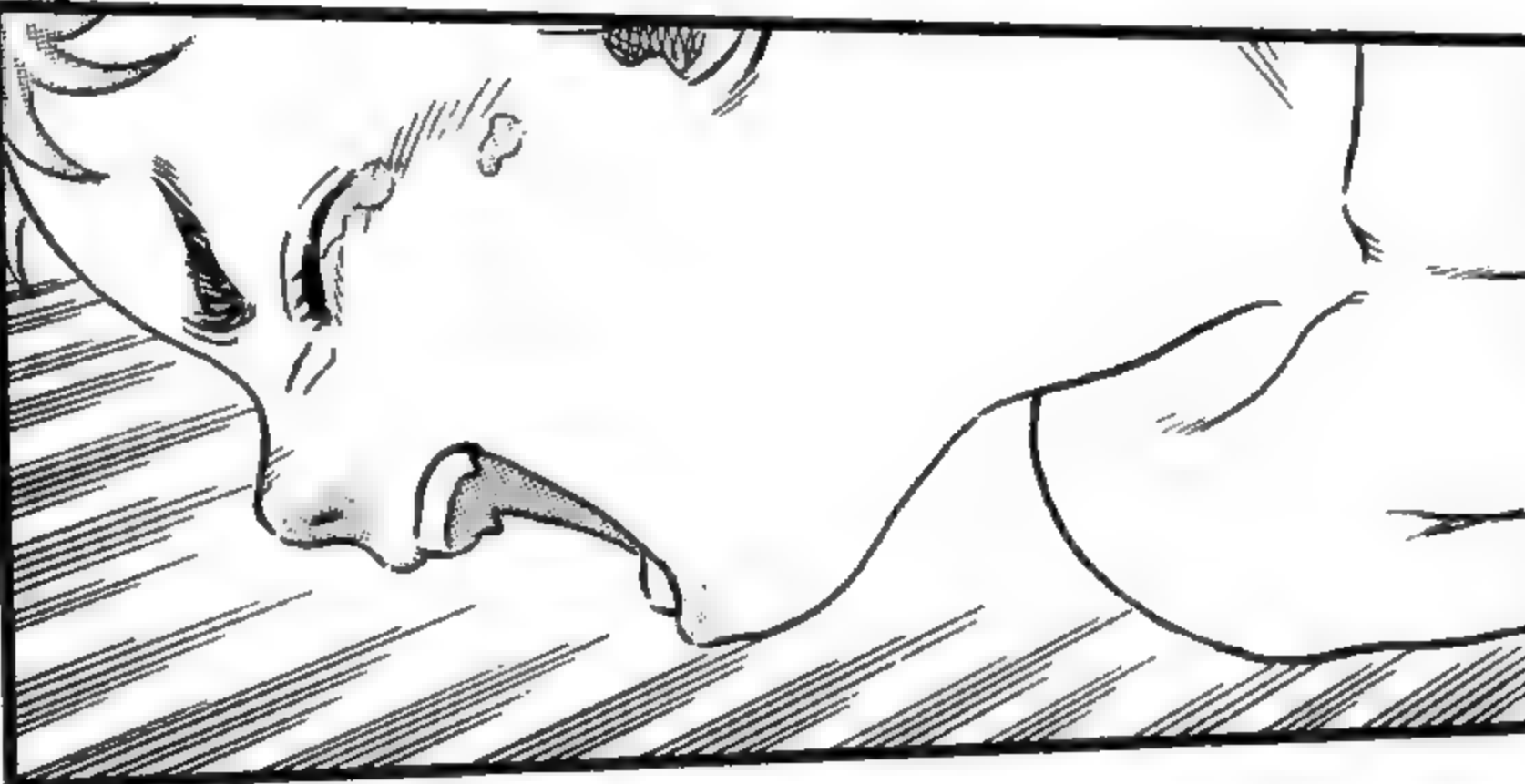
-LUUUUUGH!!!-







THAT  
IDIOT!





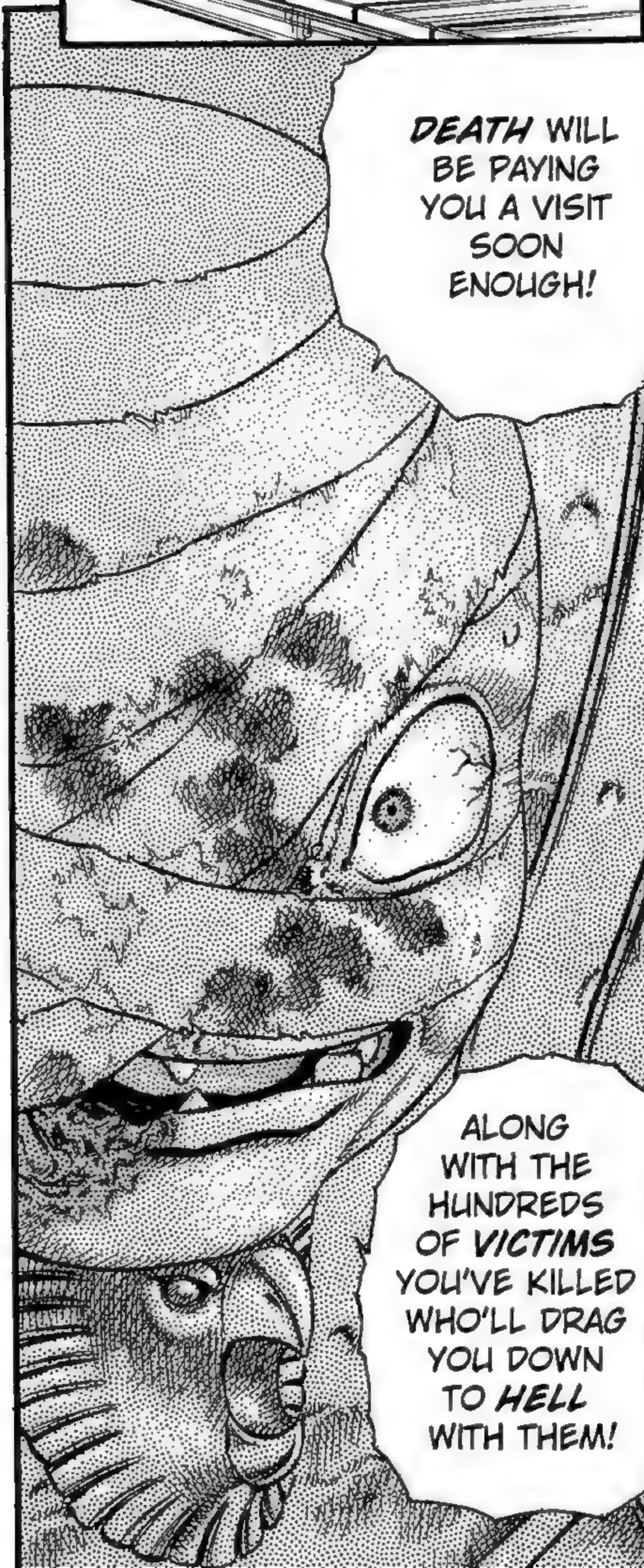


WHAT  
ARE YOU  
DOING?  
GET ON  
WITH IT!

YES  
SIR!!



STUPID  
...



DEATH WILL  
BE PAYING  
YOU A VISIT  
SOON  
ENOUGH!



IT'S A  
SHAME...



WHAT'S  
THAT  
SUPPOSED  
TO MEAN?



...THAT I  
WON'T BE  
AROUND TO  
ENJOY THE  
SIGHT OF YOU  
CHOKING IN  
YOUR OWN  
BLOOD.





I  
BEG  
OF  
YOU!!

BLACK  
SWORDS-  
MAN!!



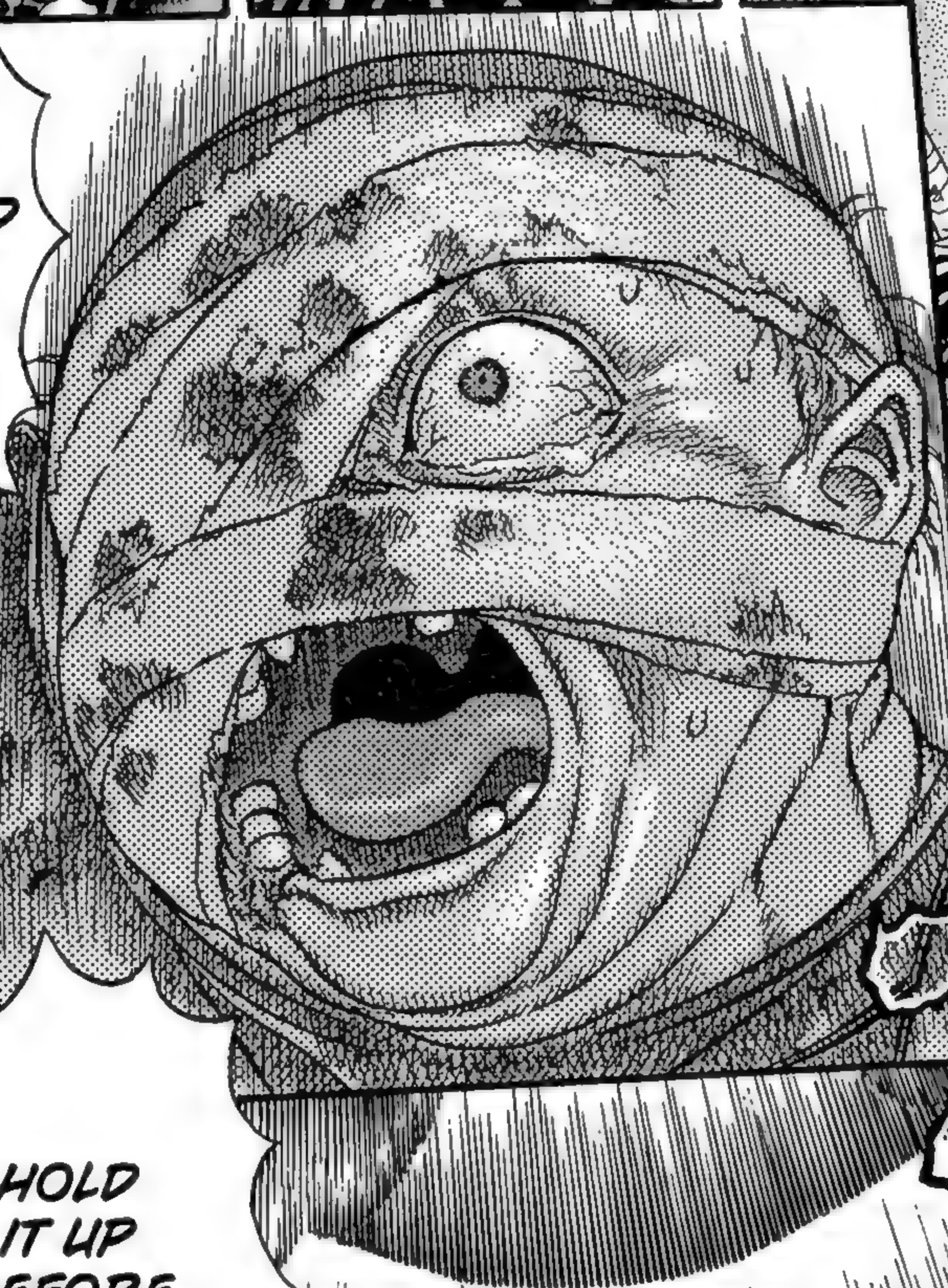
FINISH  
HIM  
OFF.

NON-  
SENSE  
...

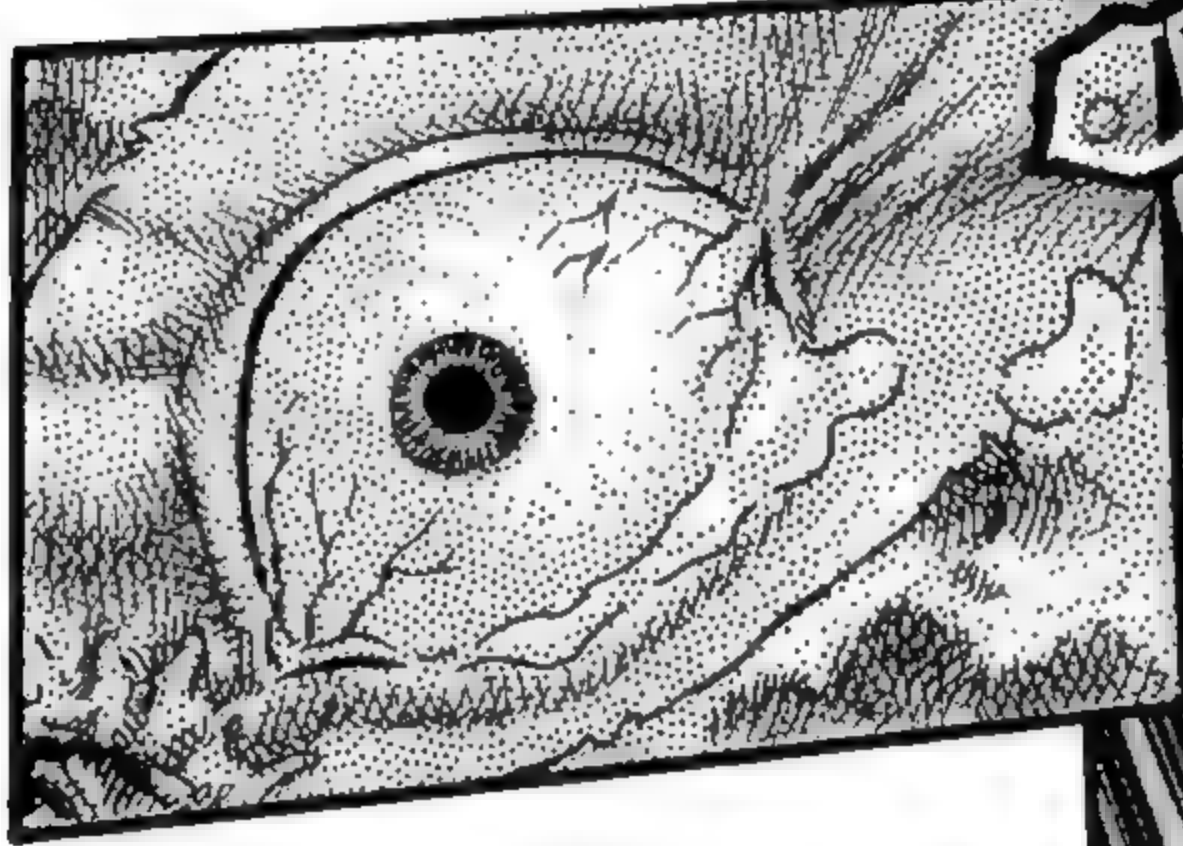
HOLD UP  
THIS DEVIL'S  
SEVERED HEAD  
BEFORE US,  
ONCE AND  
FOR ALL!



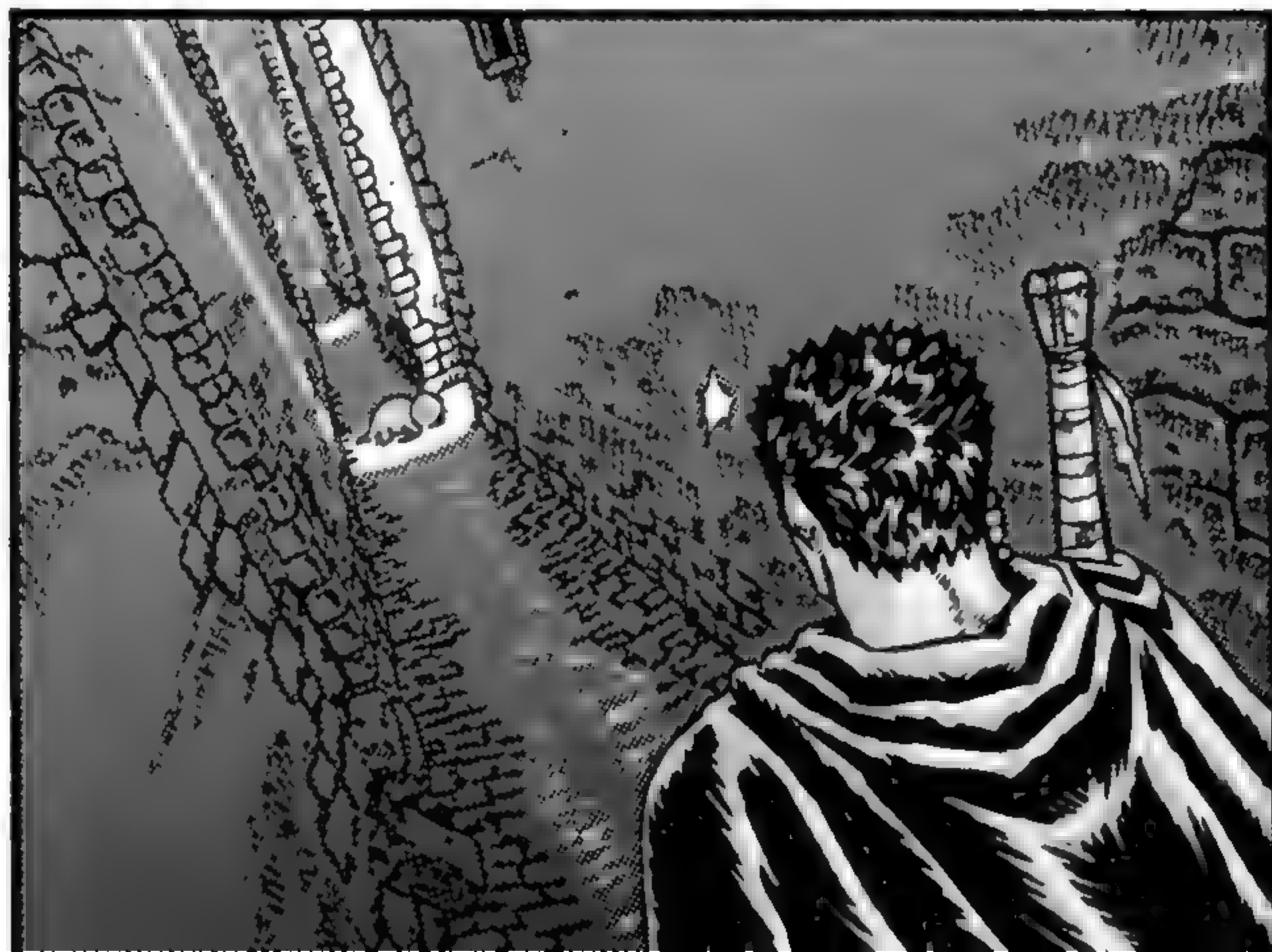
HOLD  
IT UP  
BEFORE  
US!



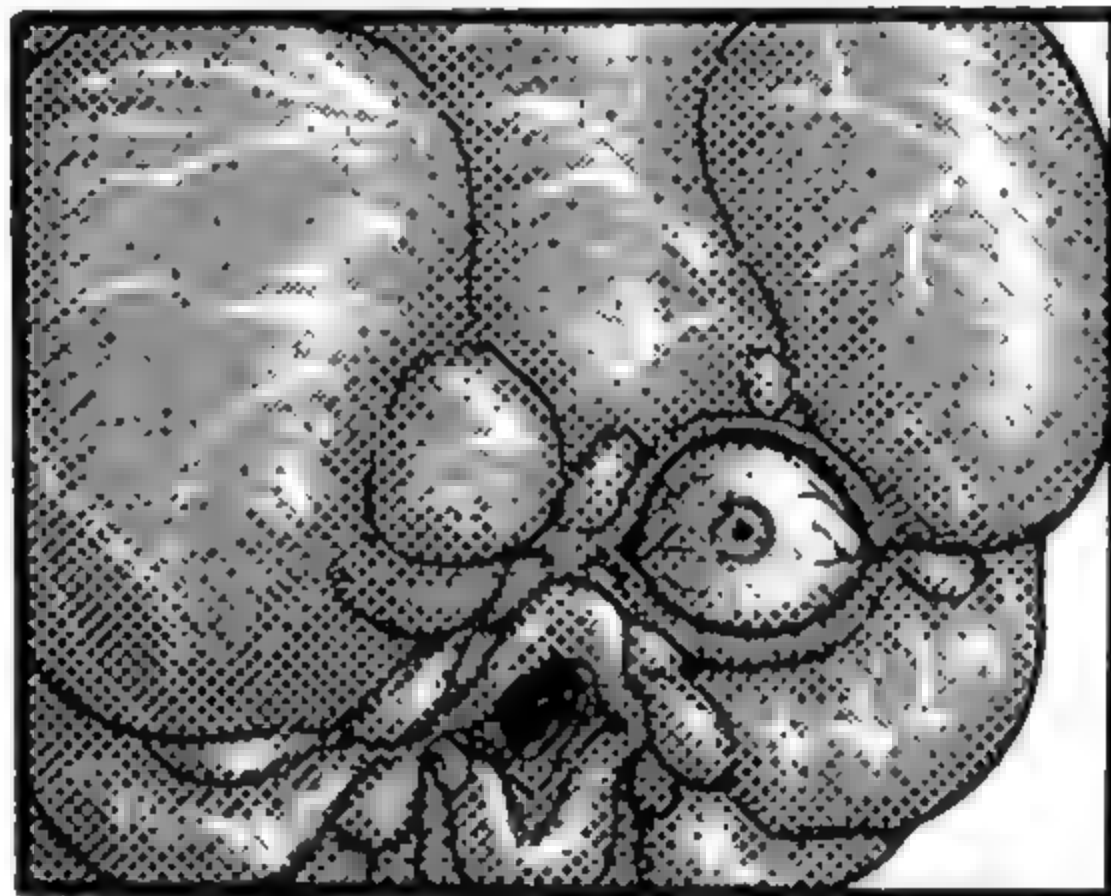
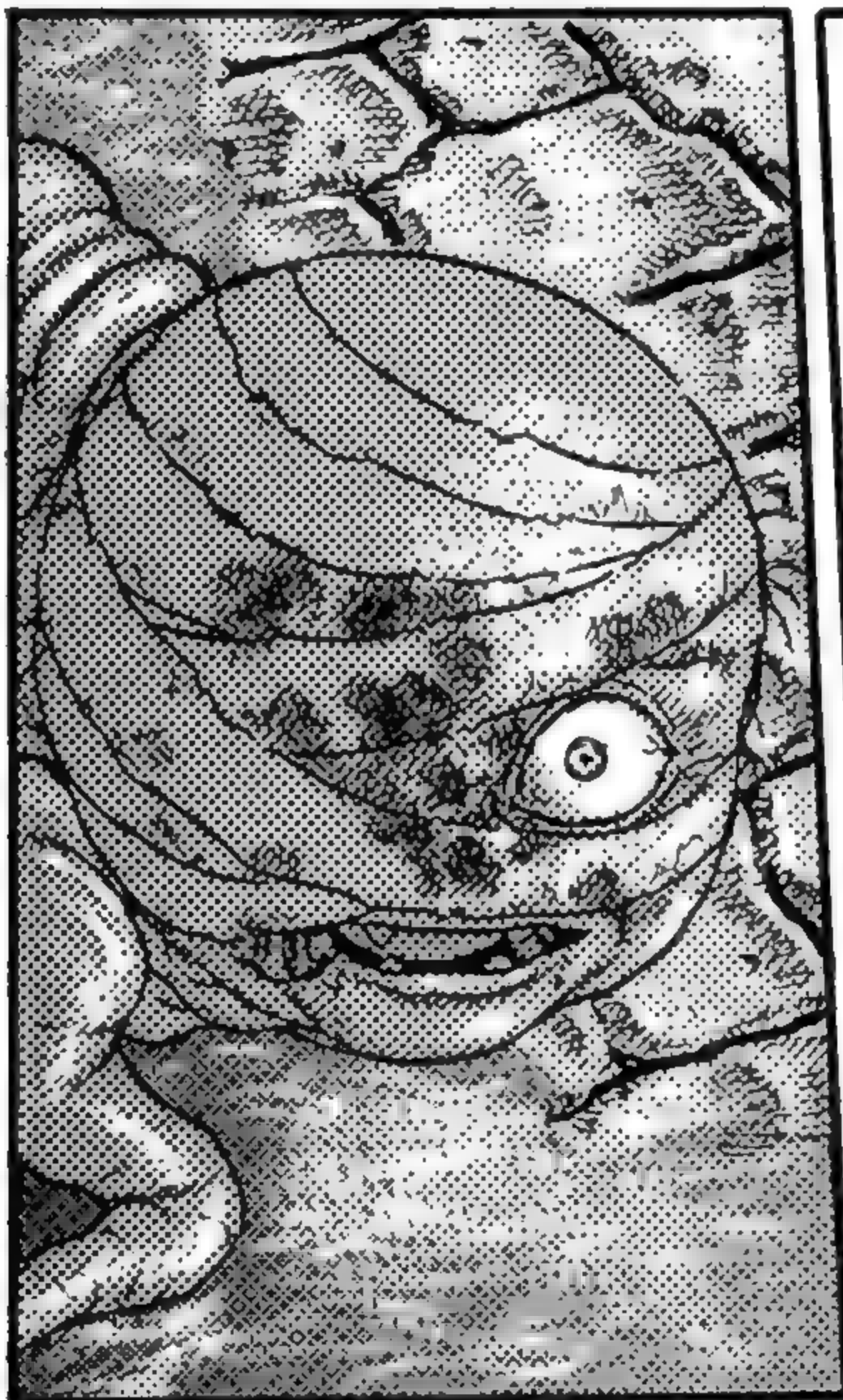




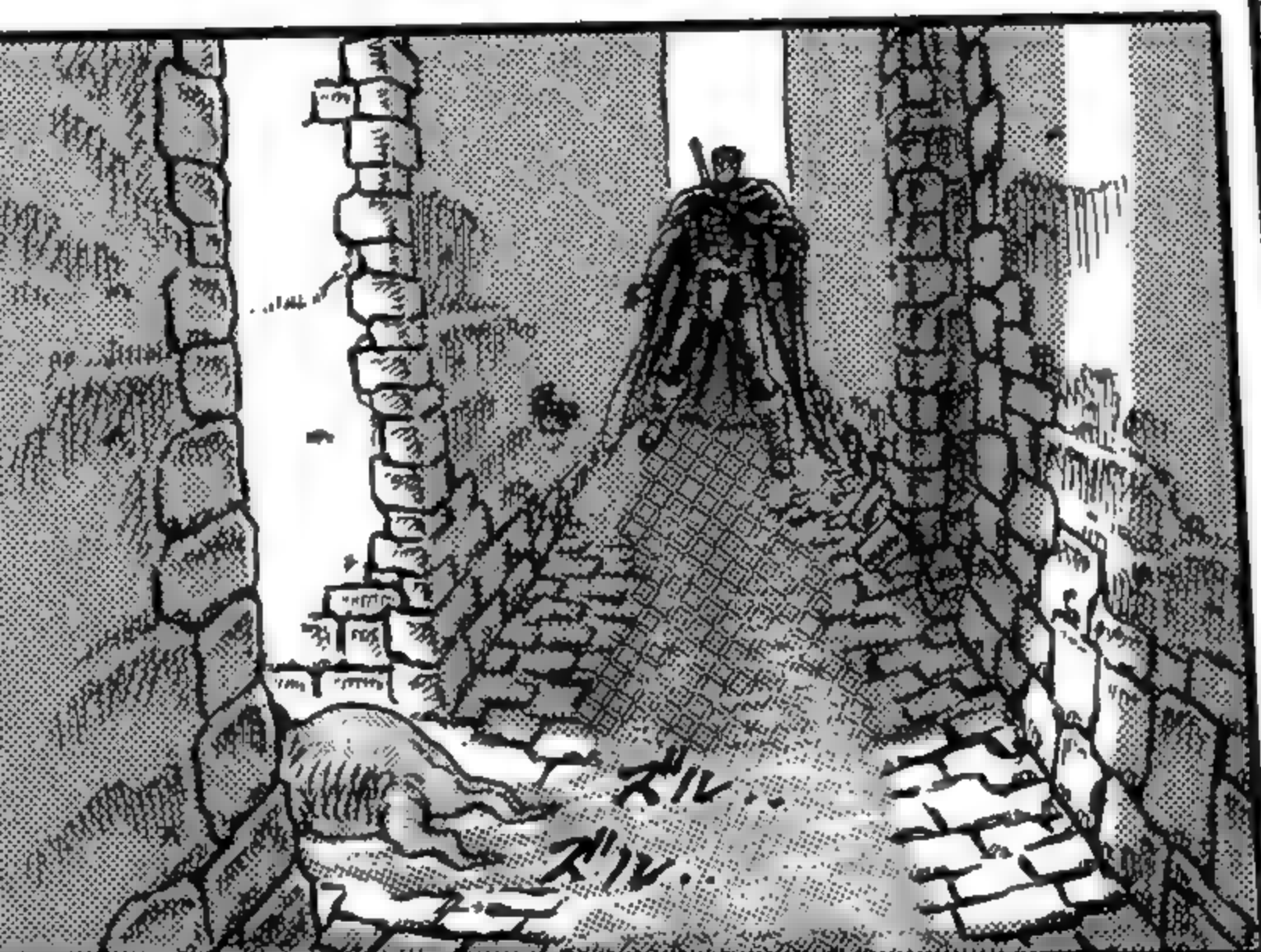
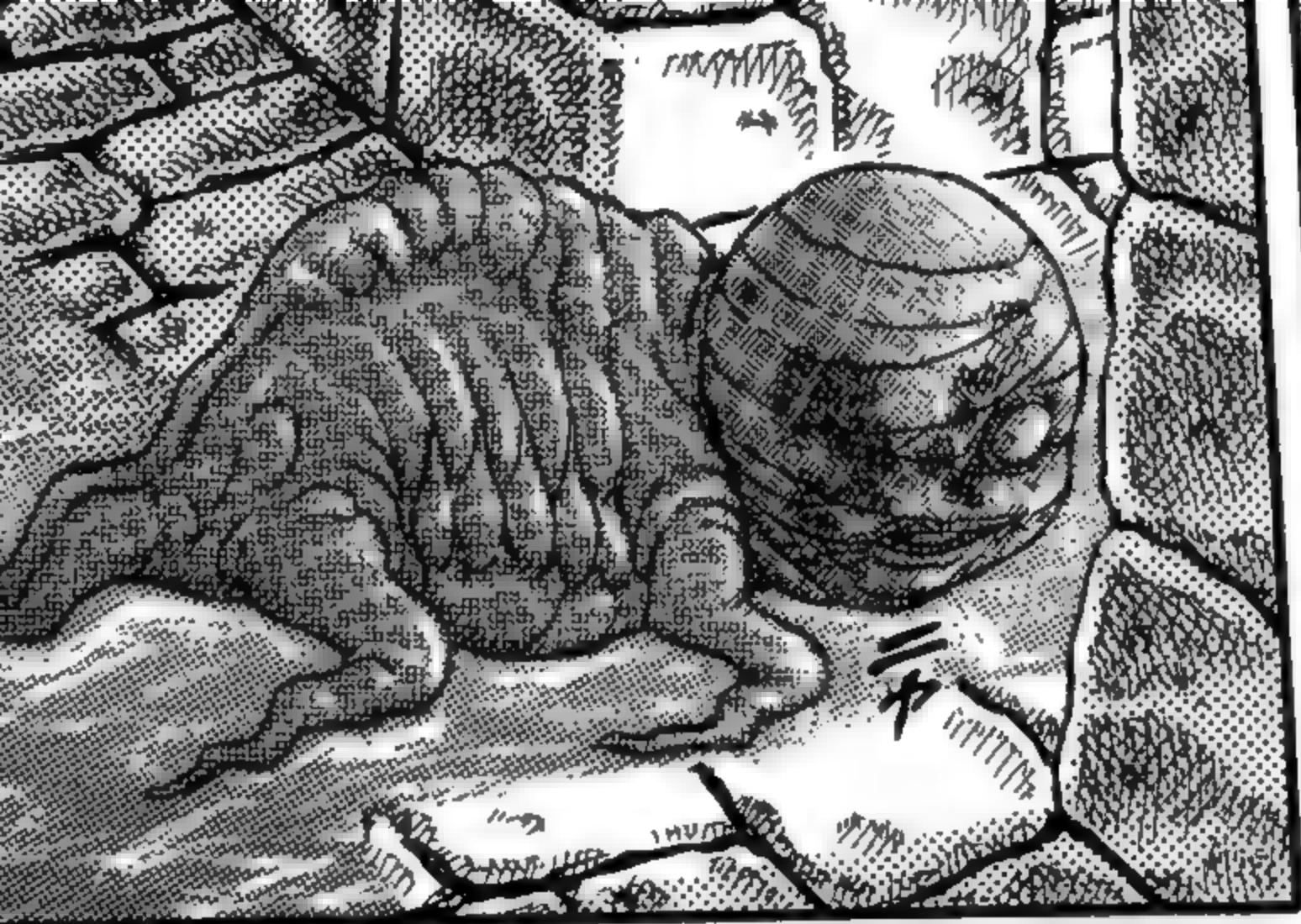




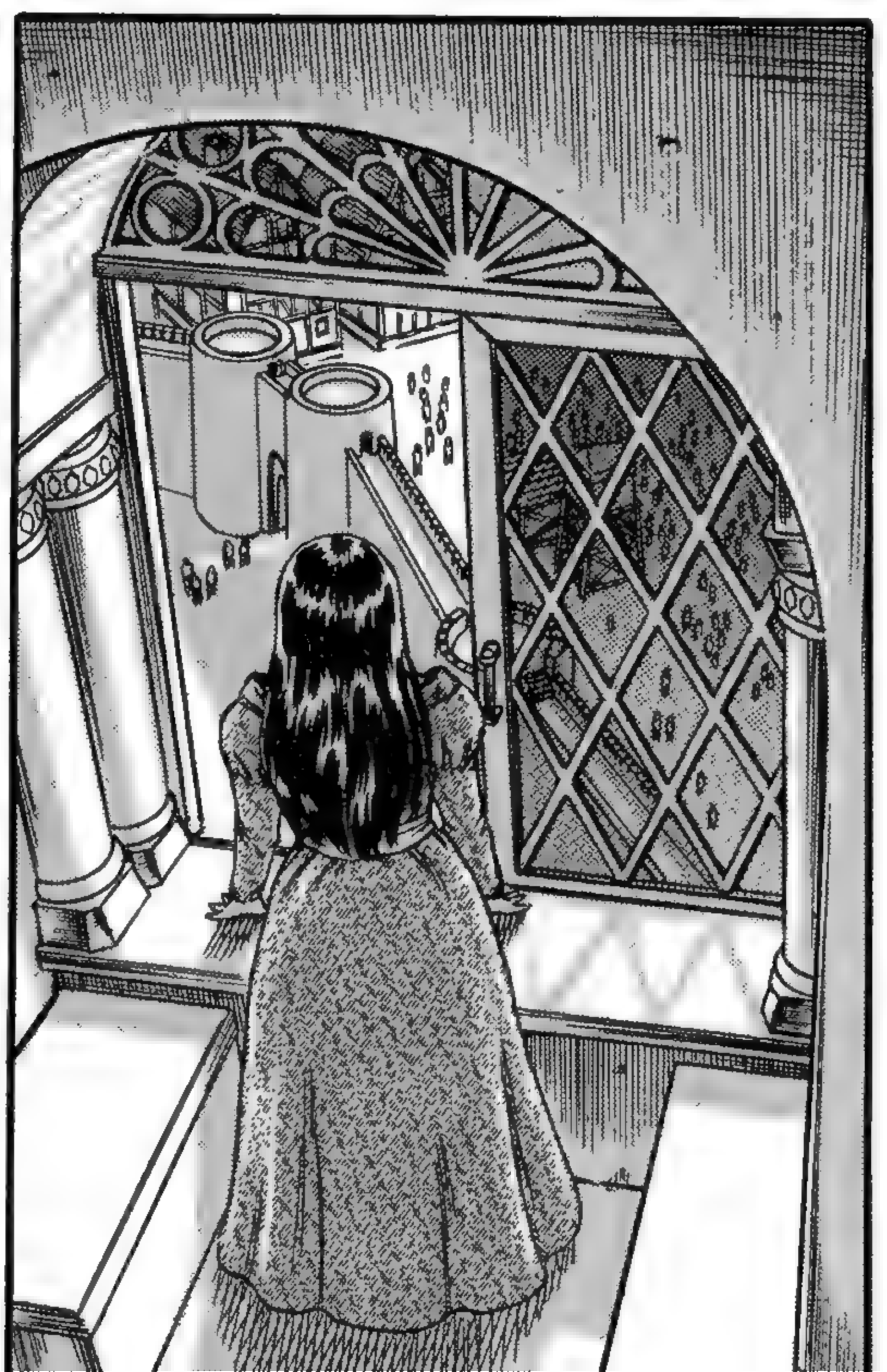
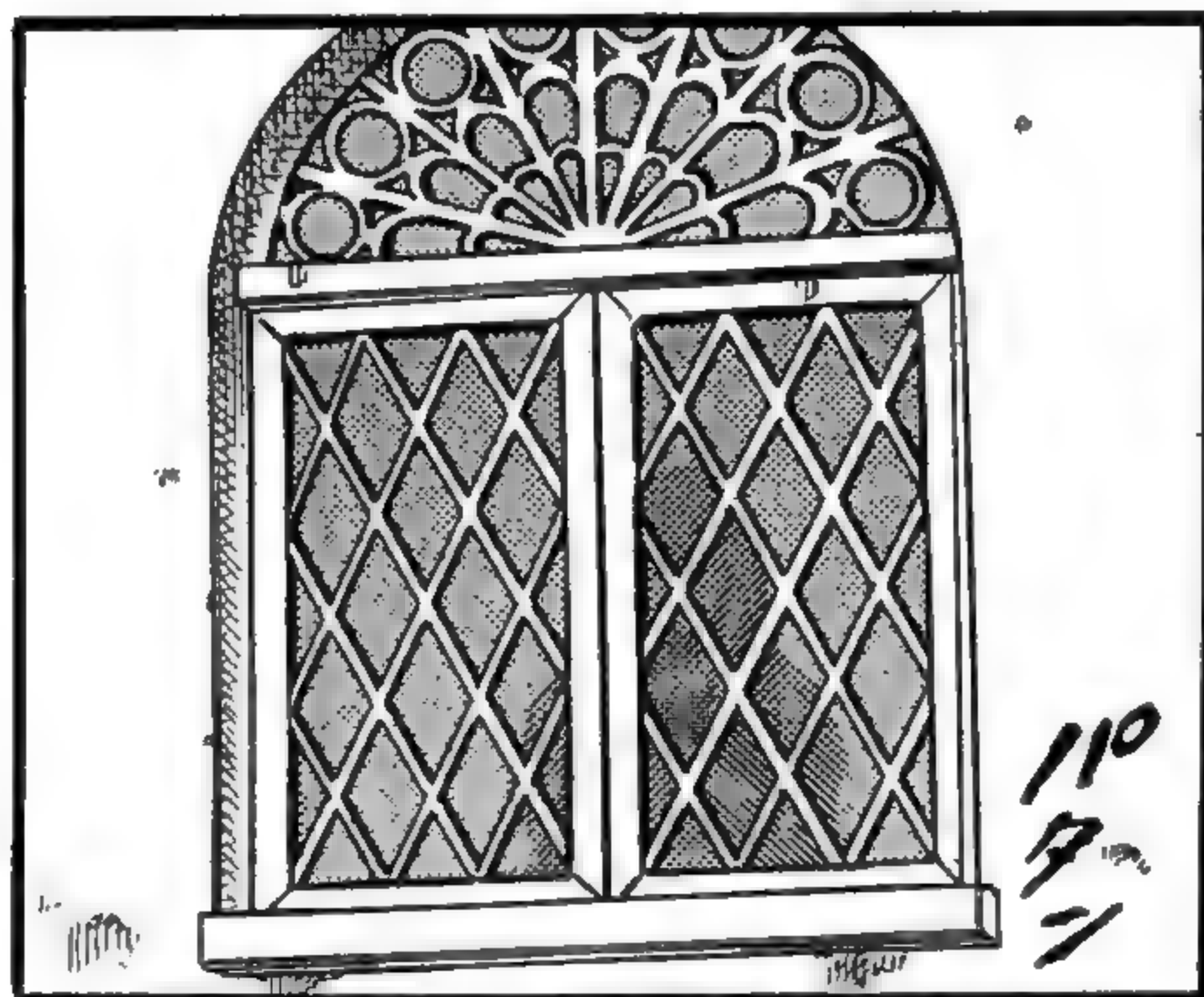
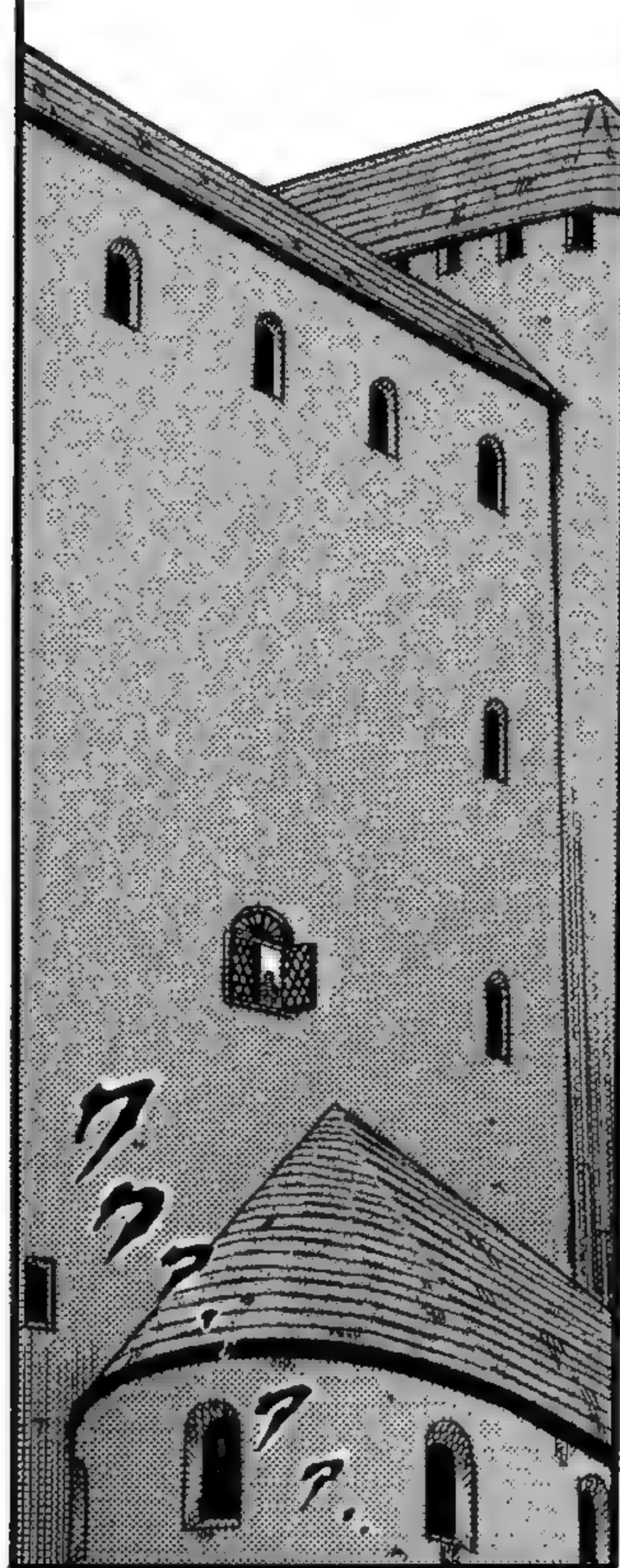




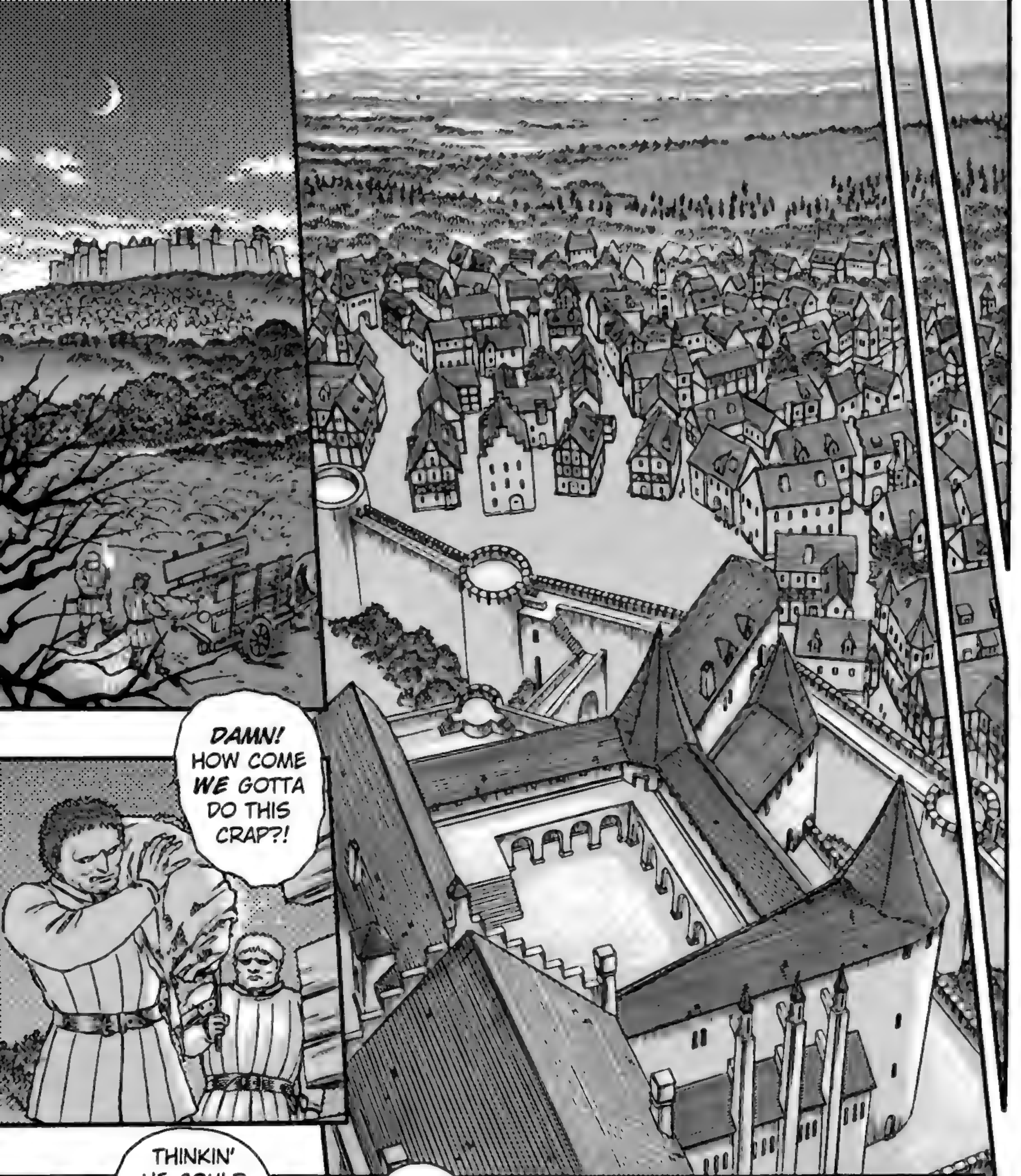












DAMN!  
HOW COME  
WE GOTTA  
DO THIS  
CRAP?!

THINKIN'  
HE COULD  
TAKE ON THE  
COUNT.

WHAT  
A  
FOOL!

FORGET  
ABOUT  
IT.

NOT THAT I  
CARE, BUT THE  
CORPSES ARE  
POURIN'  
OUTTA  
THIS PIT.









I  
WON'T  
FAIL...



THE  
LOOK  
IN YOUR  
EYES...

.....



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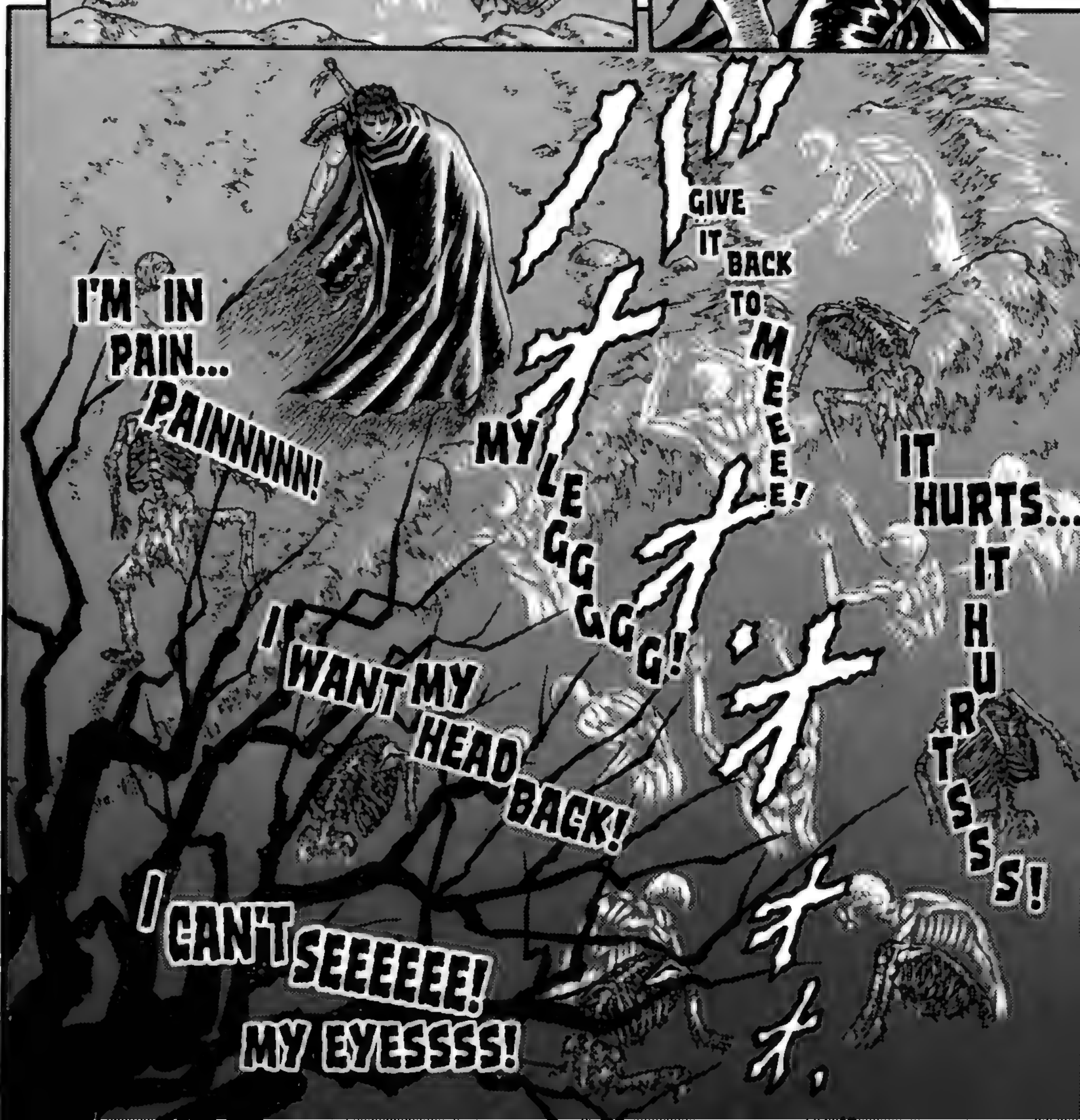
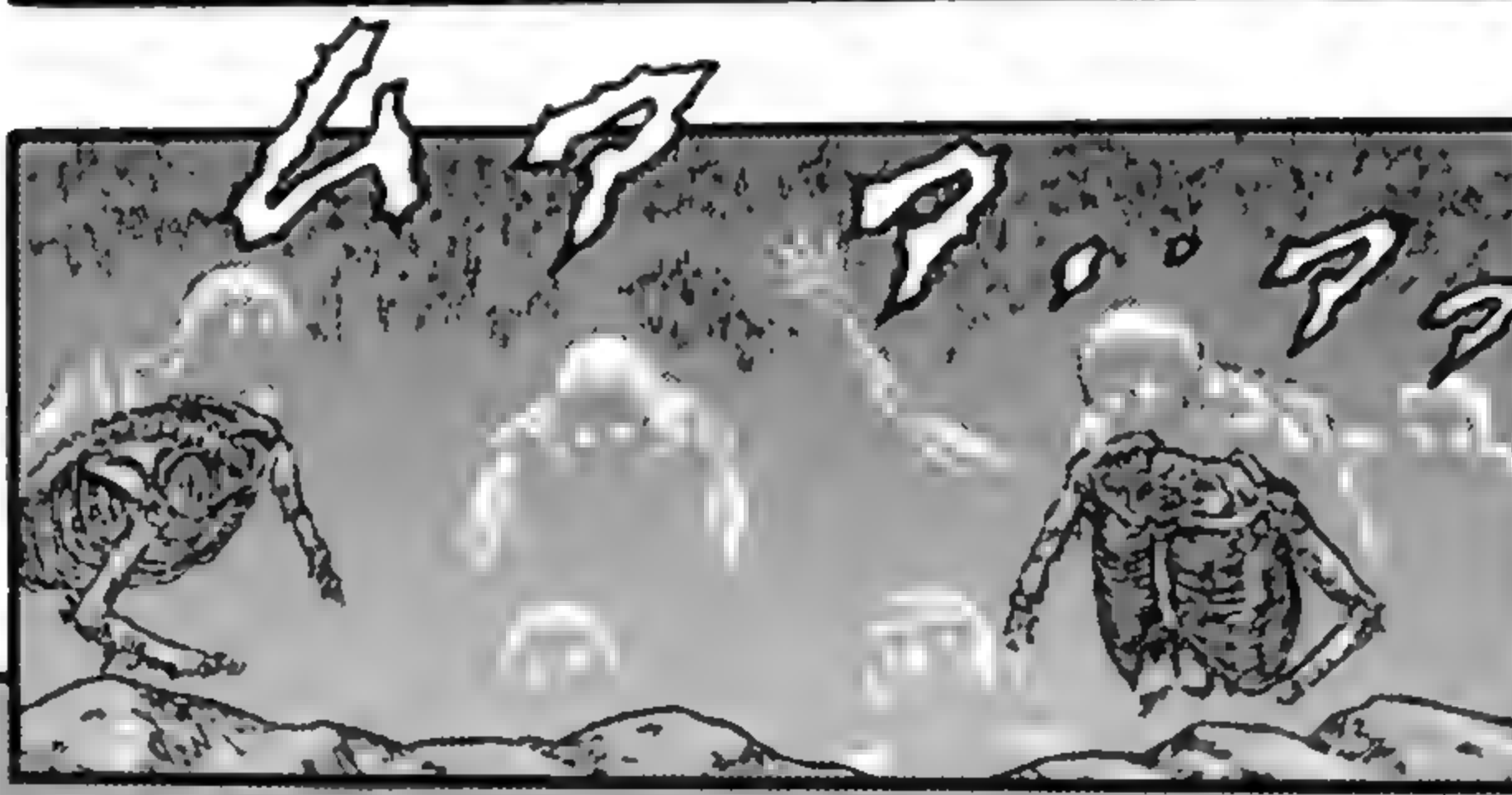


...LIKE  
YOU.



...FILLED  
WITH  
VEN-  
GEANCE.





I'M IN PAIN...

PAINNNNN!

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GIVE

IT

BACK

TO

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

MEEEE!

IT

HURTS...

IT

HURTS...

IT

HURTS...

IT

HURTS...

IT

HURTS...

IT

HURTS...

I

WANT MY

HEAD

BACK!

BACK!

BACK!

BACK!

BACK!

BACK!

I

CAN'T

SEEEEEEE!

MY EYESSSS!

MY EYESSSS!





HIS  
HEAD  
....!

WE  
WANT  
THE  
COUNT'S  
HEAD...!



TOGETHER  
...!

WE WANT  
REVENGE  
...!

NOOOH!!



DAMN...



REVENGE  
...!

REVENGE!!



REVENGE...!





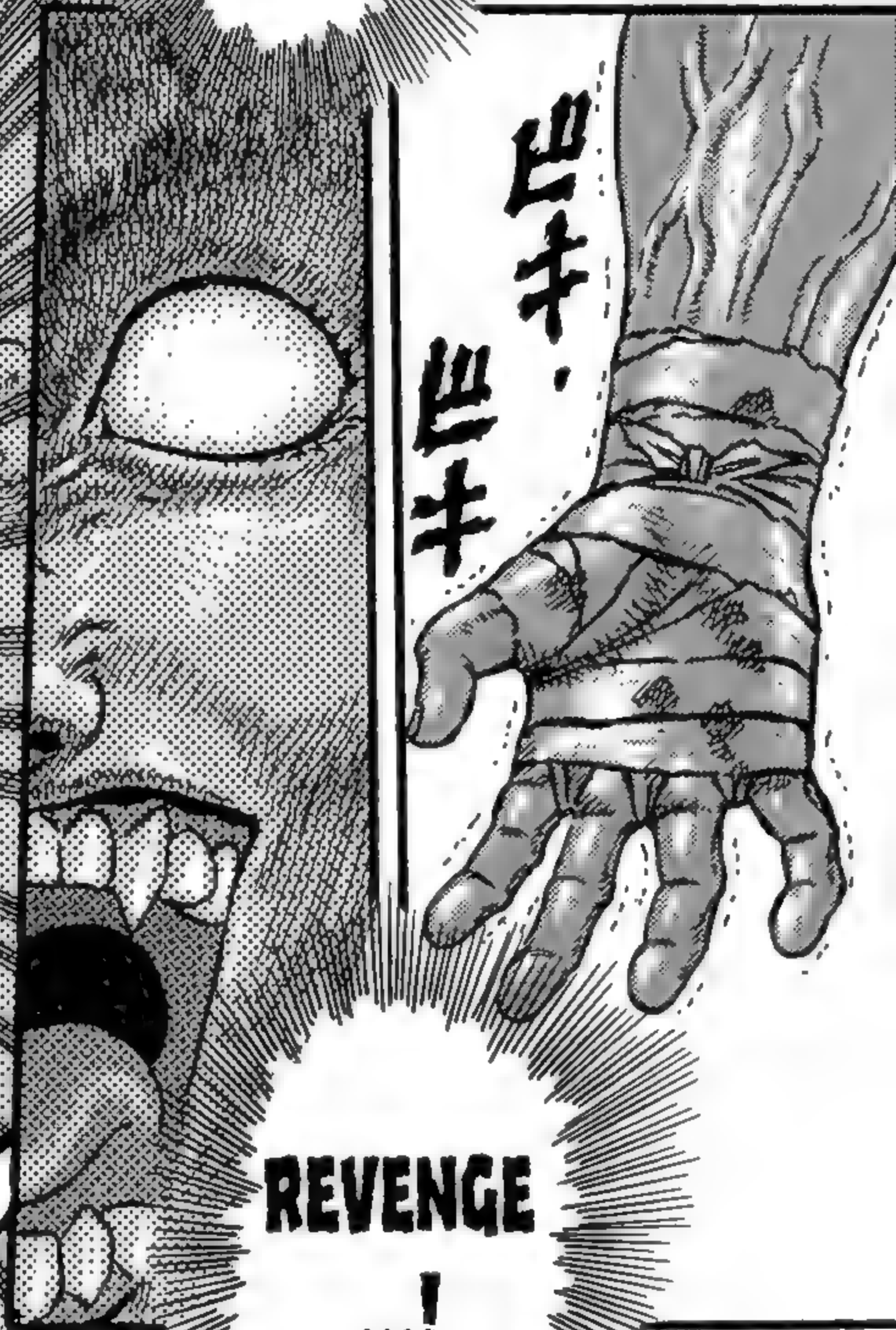
NOOO!!



NO!



TOGETHER  
...!



REVENGE  
...!

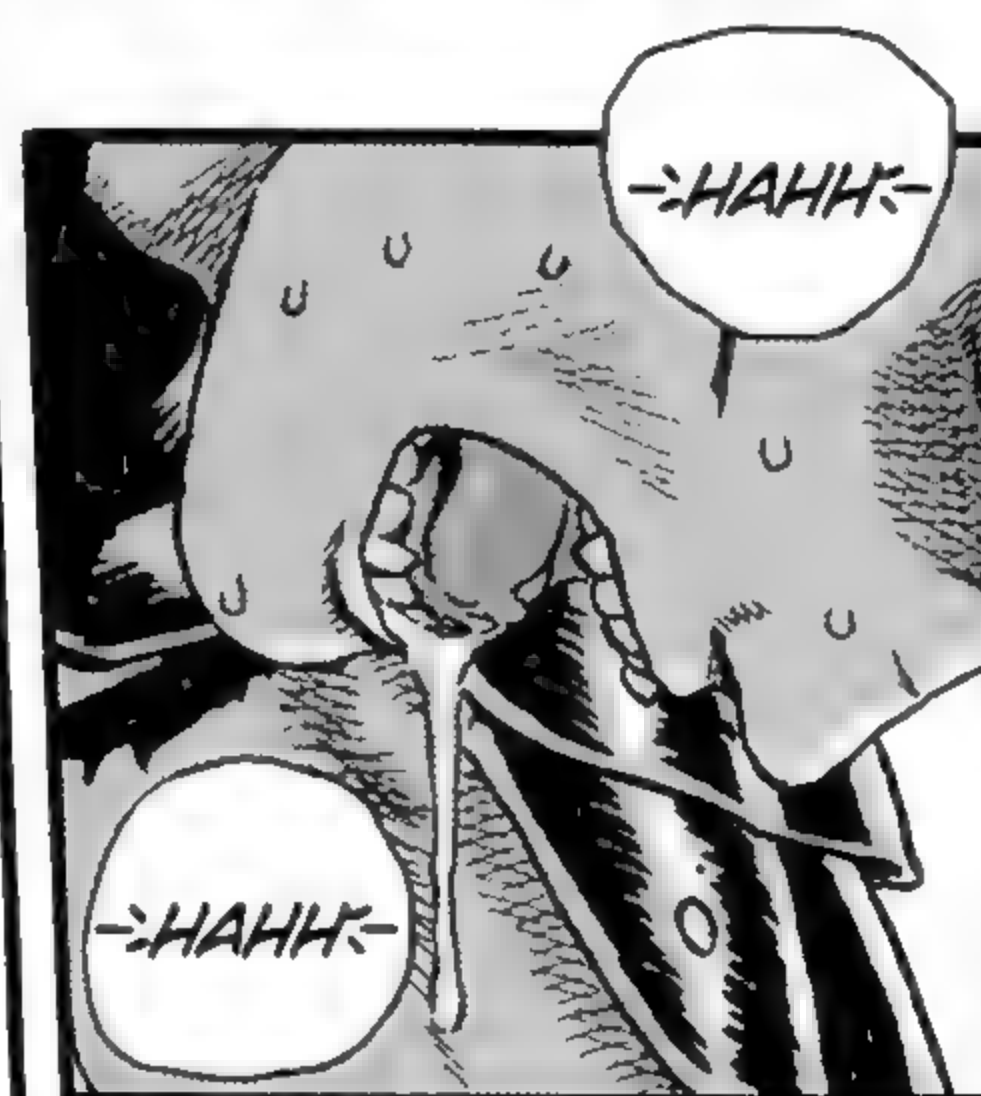




...!

NEVER

...



-HAHH-

-HAHH-





**YOU AND  
I GOT  
NOTHING IN  
COMMON!**

**NEVER!!**

**GET  
AWAY  
FROM  
ME,  
CARCAS-  
SES!!**

**YOU'RE  
NOTHING  
BUT  
WORTHLESS  
SCUM!**

**YOU'RE  
DEAD,  
ALL OF  
YOU!**

**THIS  
IS MY  
FIGHT!**

**MINE, A  
PERSON  
OF FLESH  
AND  
BLOOD!**







THAT'S  
RIGHT!



I'LL KILL  
THE COUNT  
WITH MY  
VERY OWN  
**FLESH  
AND  
BLOOD.**

I'LL  
DO IT  
**MYSELF!**

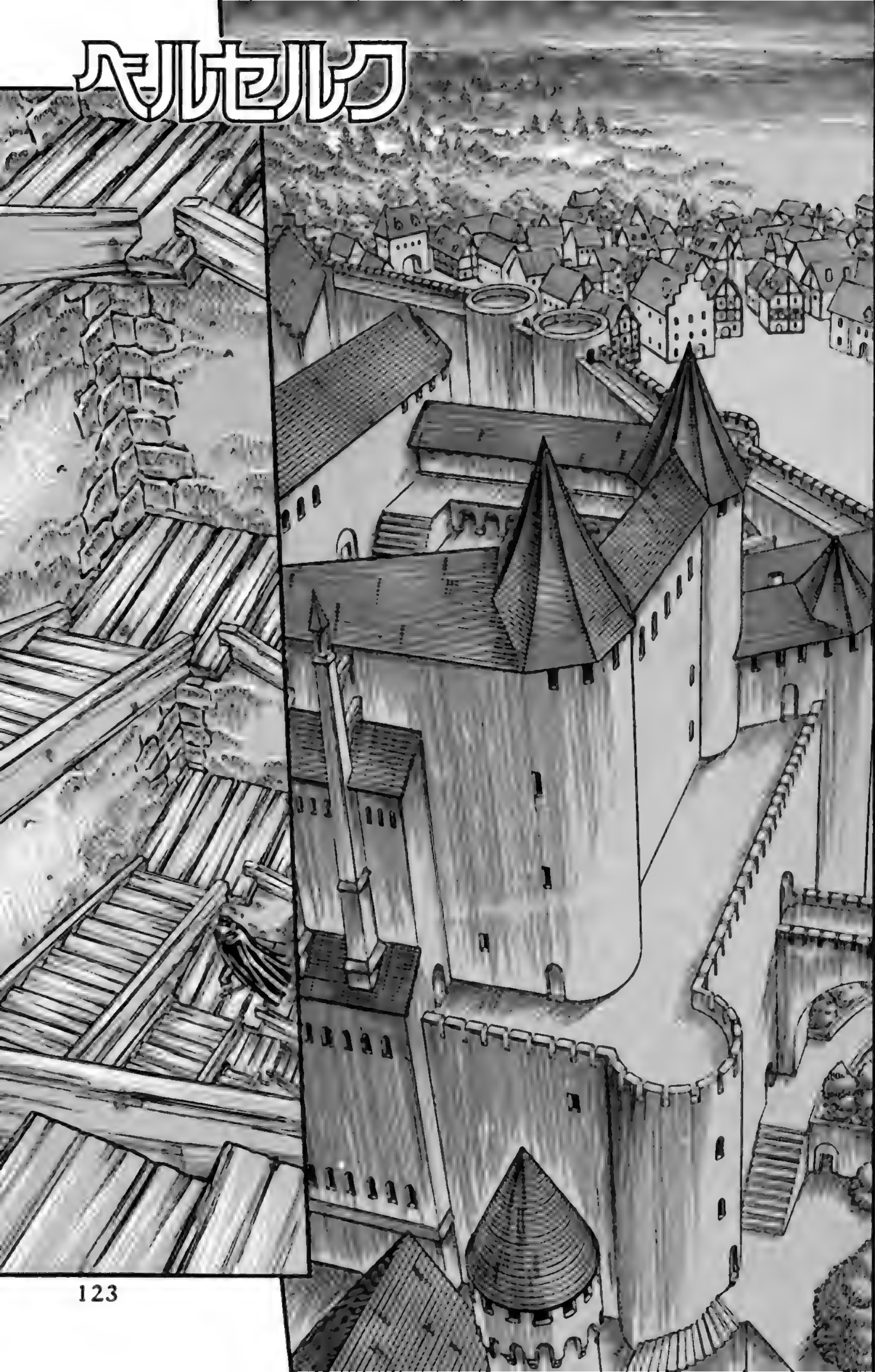
**THE GUARDIANS OF DESIRE (2): END**







# カエル城







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欲望の守護天使(3)

THE GUARDIANS OF DESIRE, CHAPTER 3











I  
COULDN'T  
DO A  
THING TO  
SAVE  
YOU.



...NOT A  
**SINGLE**  
THING.

NOT  
A...



-SIGH-

...

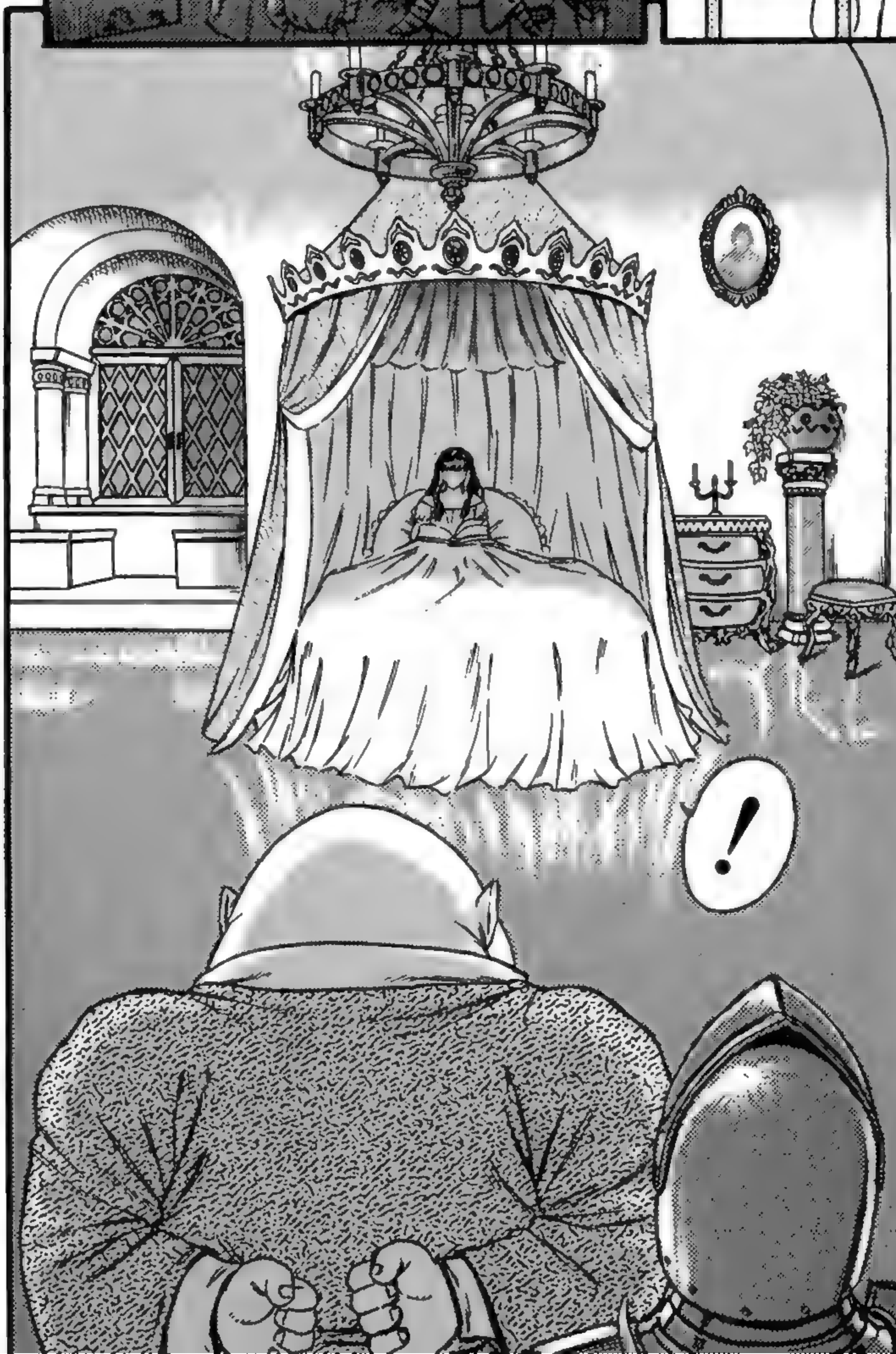
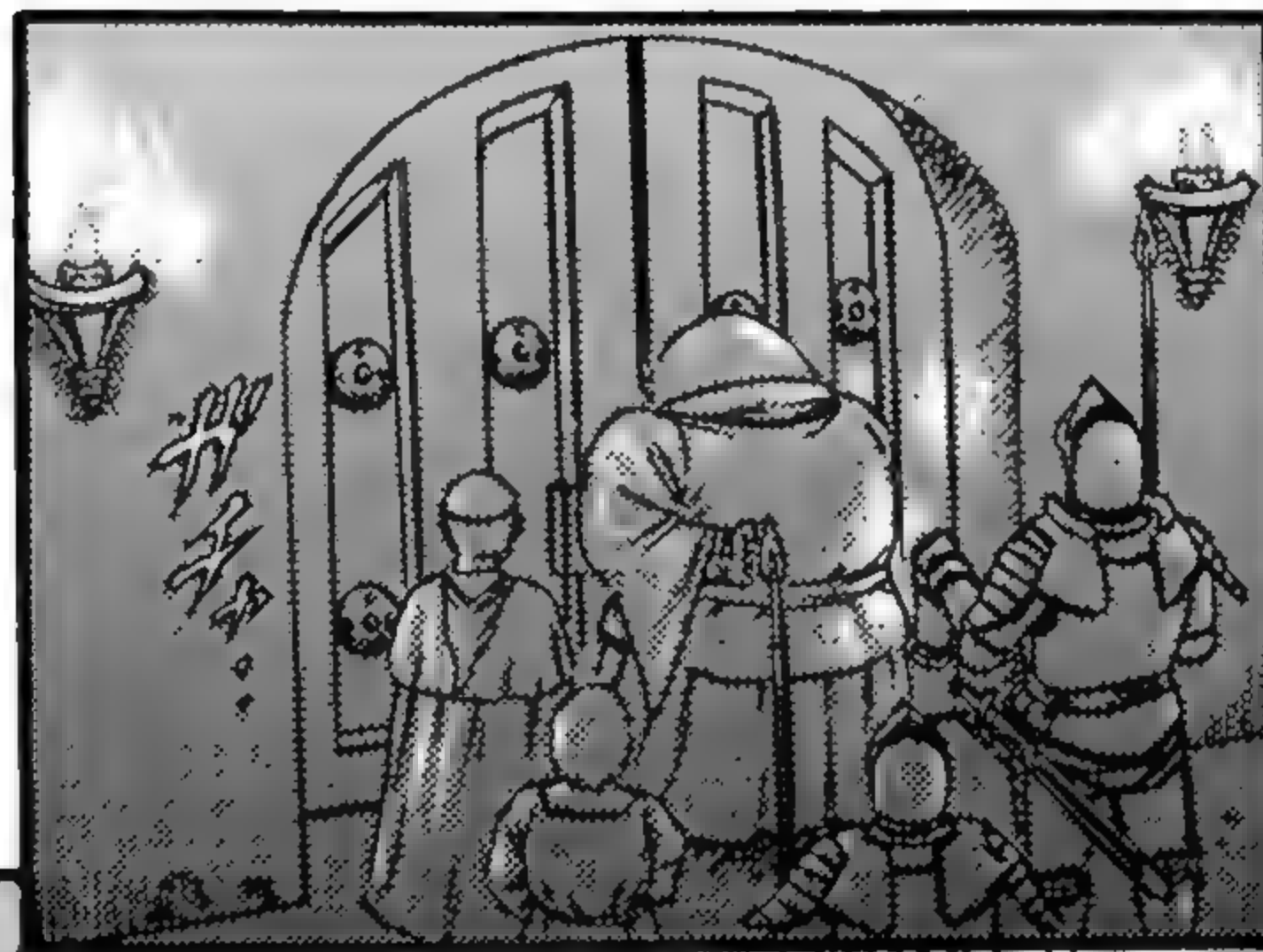
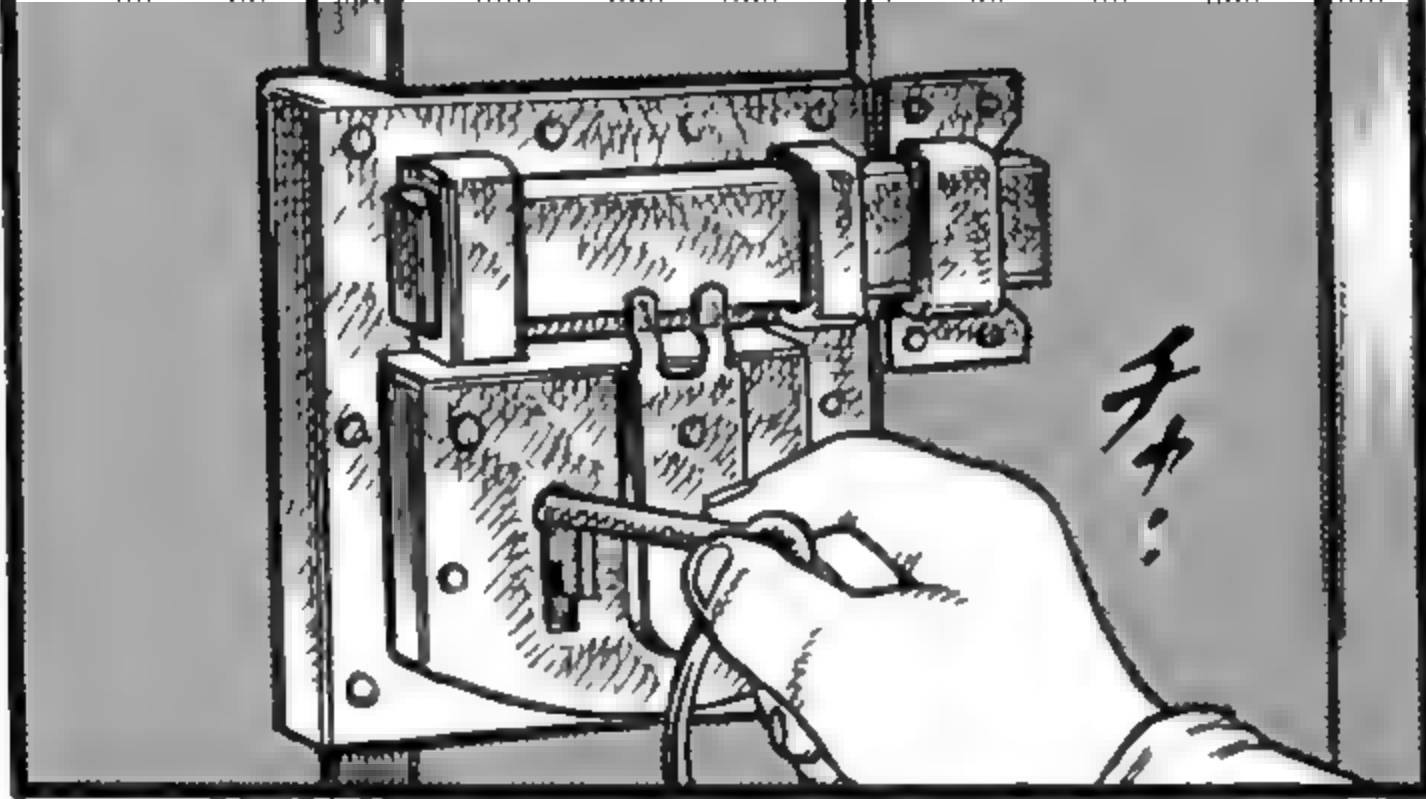
WHAT'S  
GONNA  
HAPPEN  
TO ME...

...NOW?

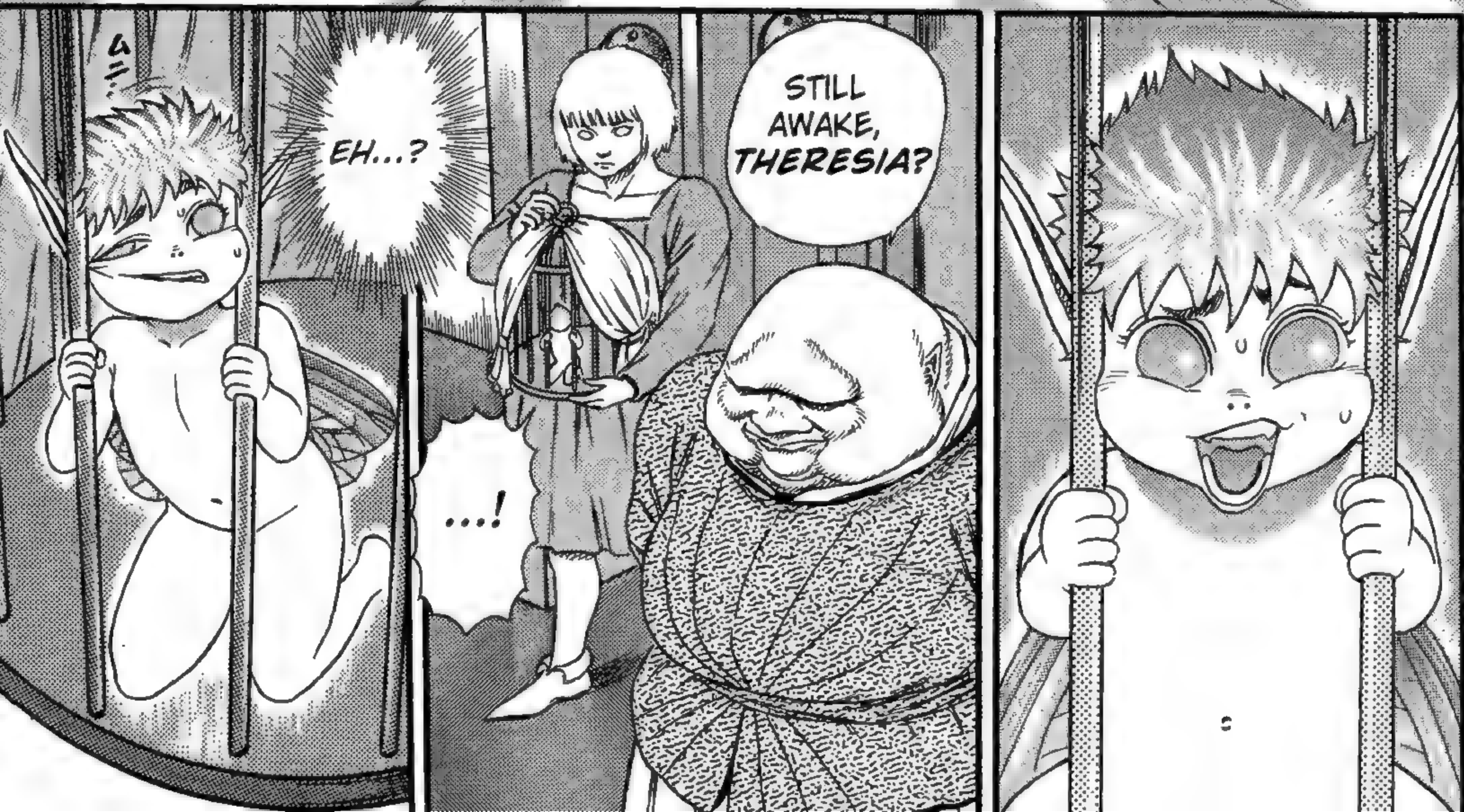


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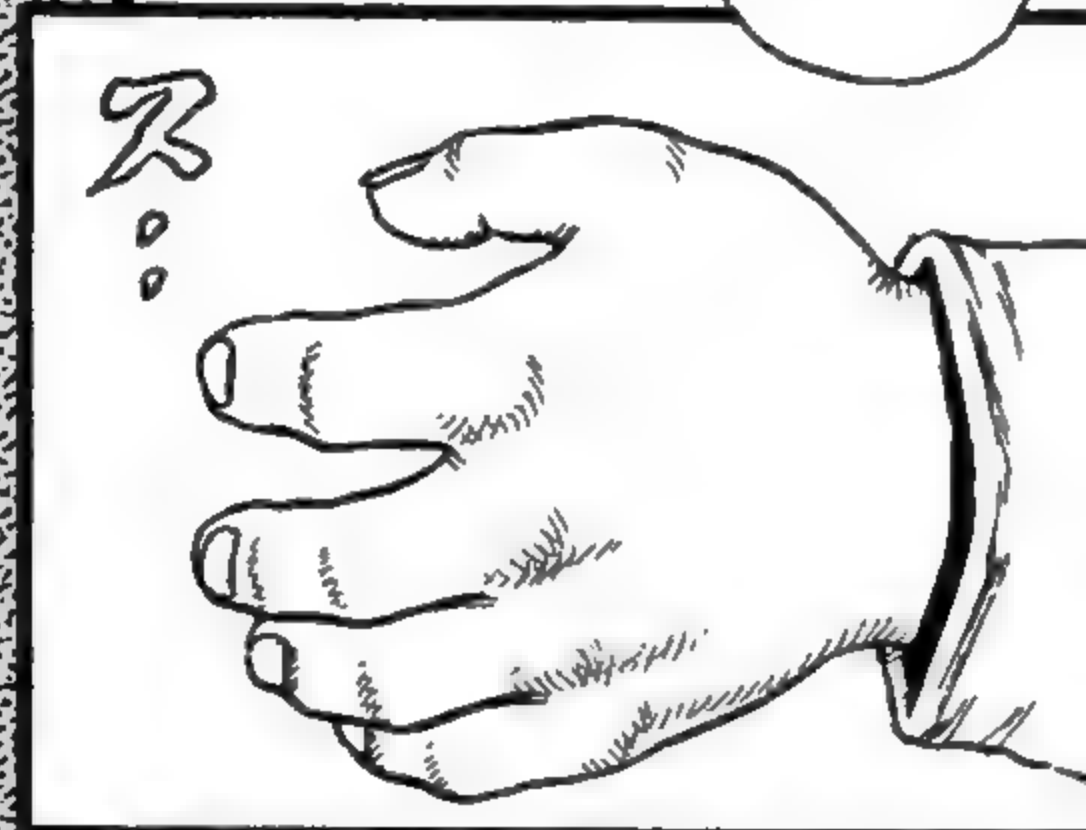




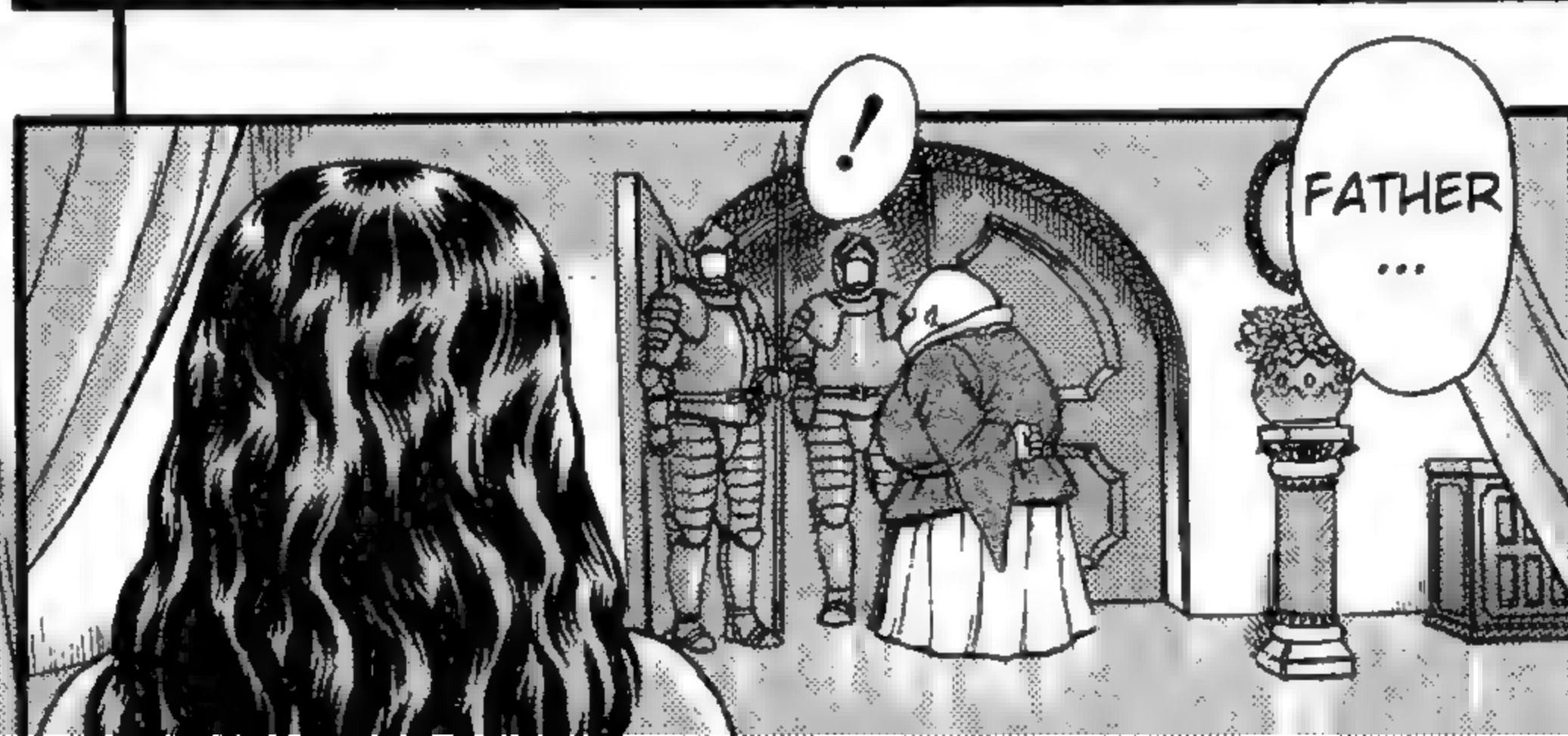
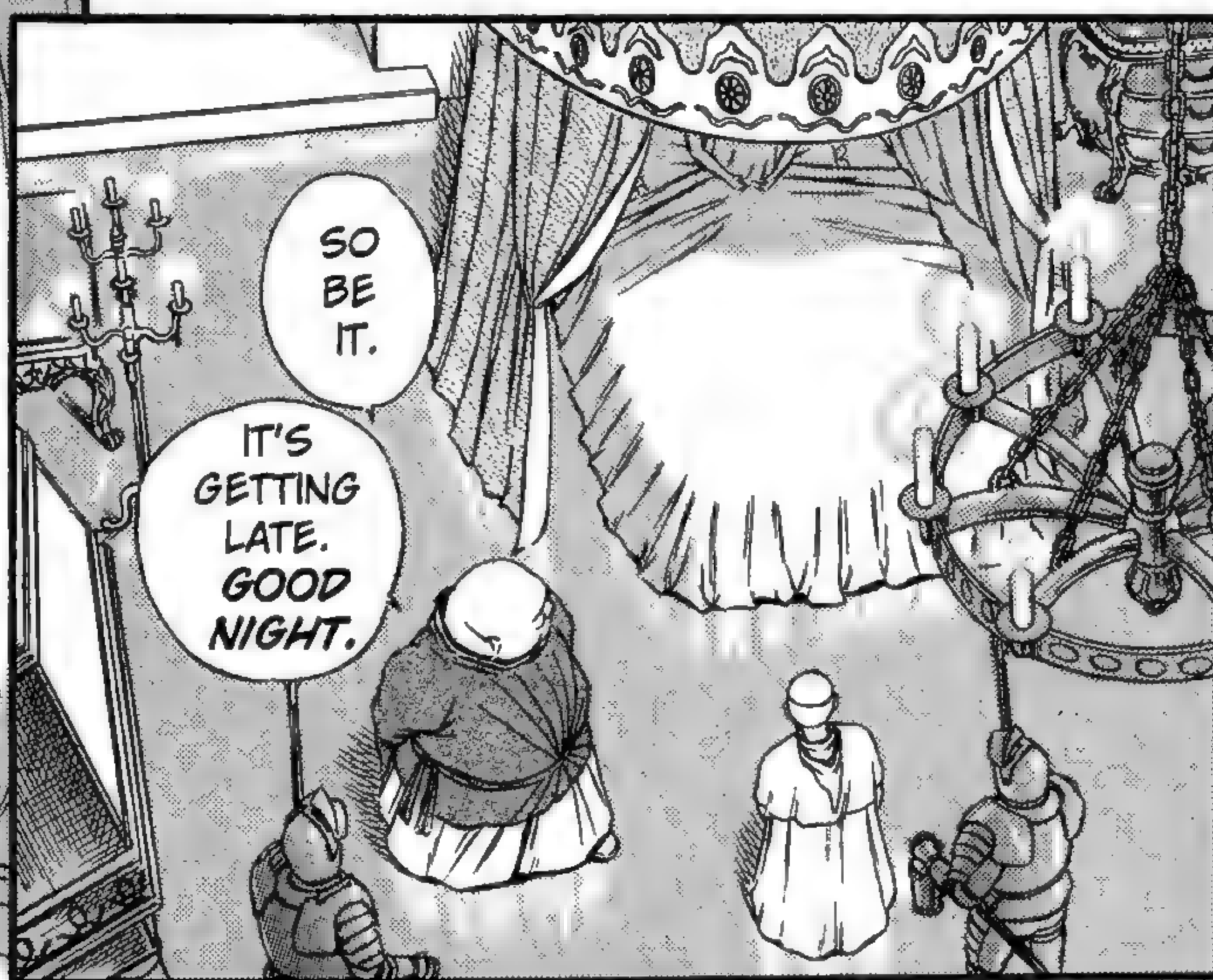
















EXCEL-  
LENCY  
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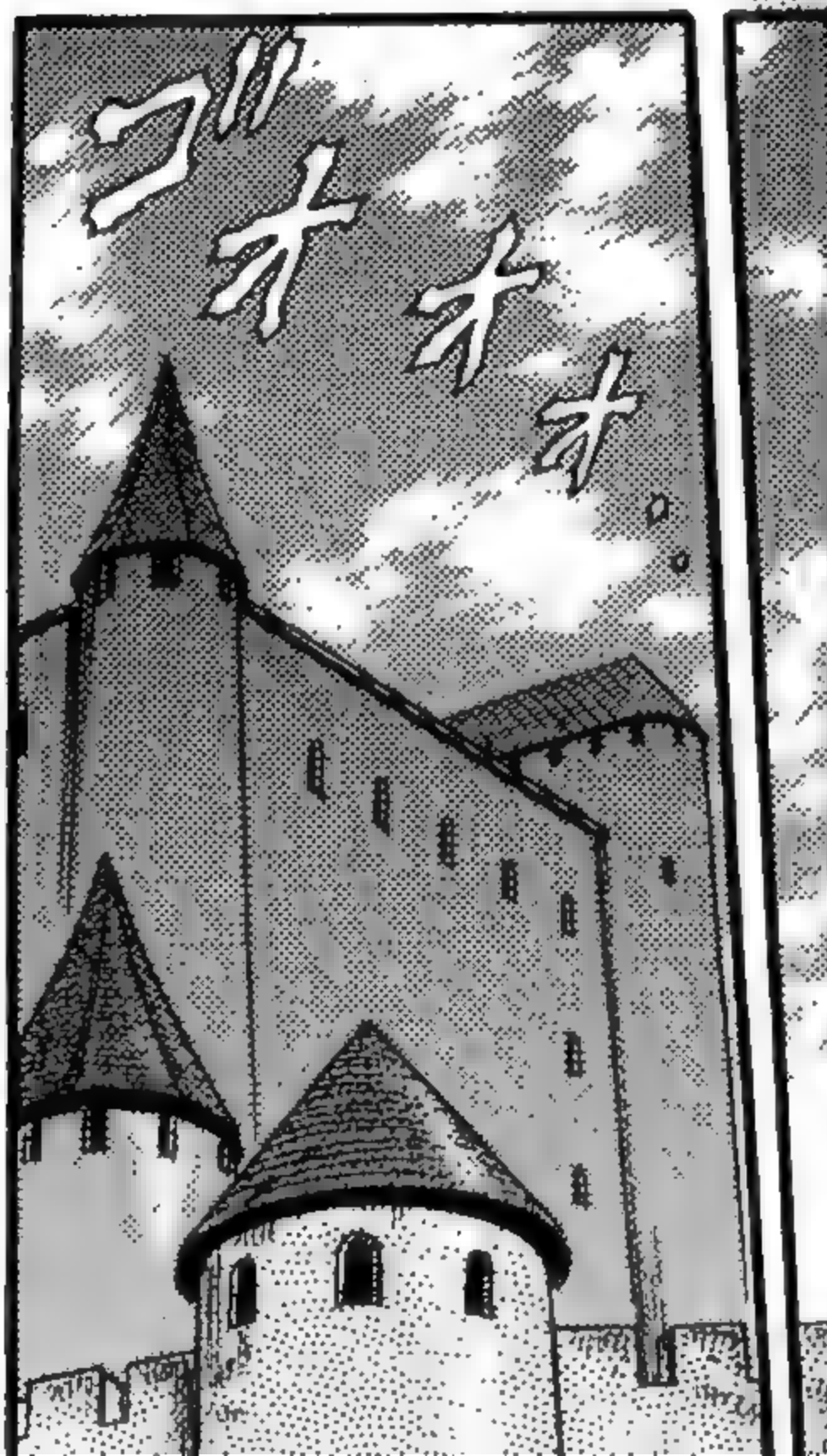
GO  
AWAY  
...

WHA  
--?

.....



LEAVE  
ME BE!

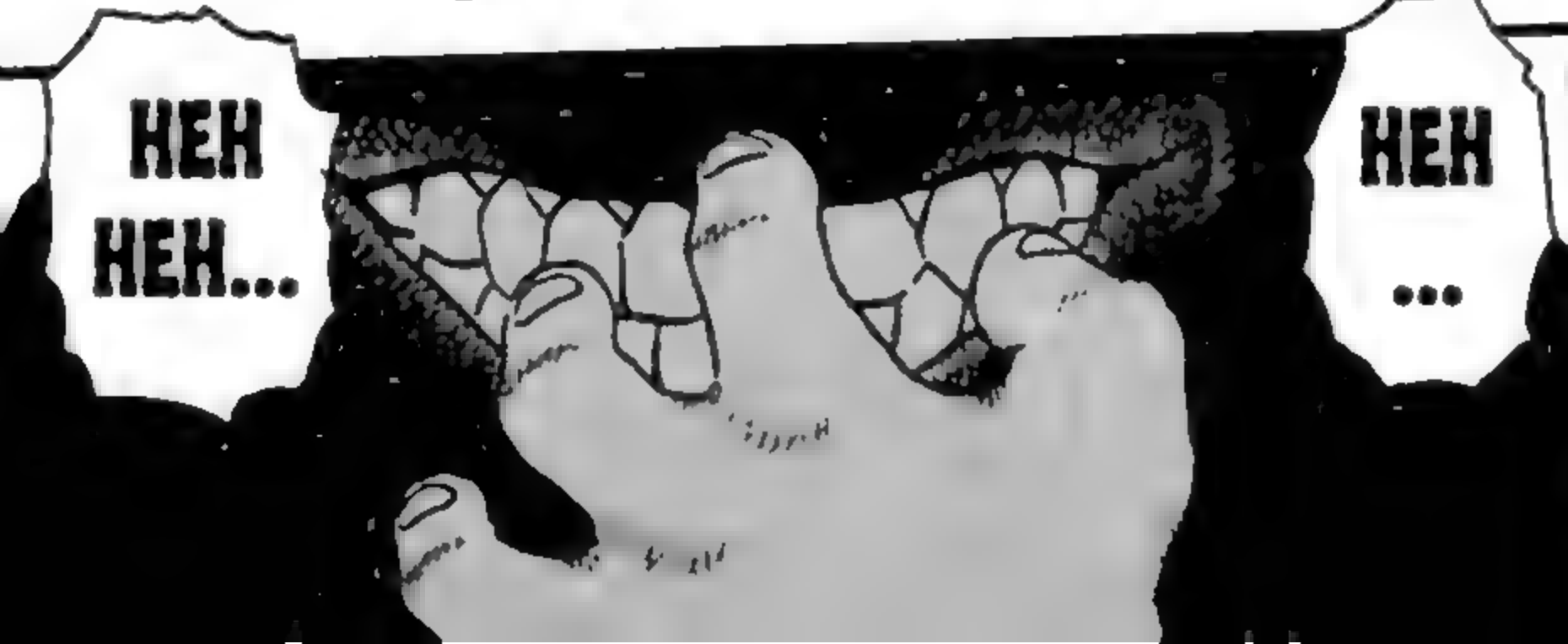
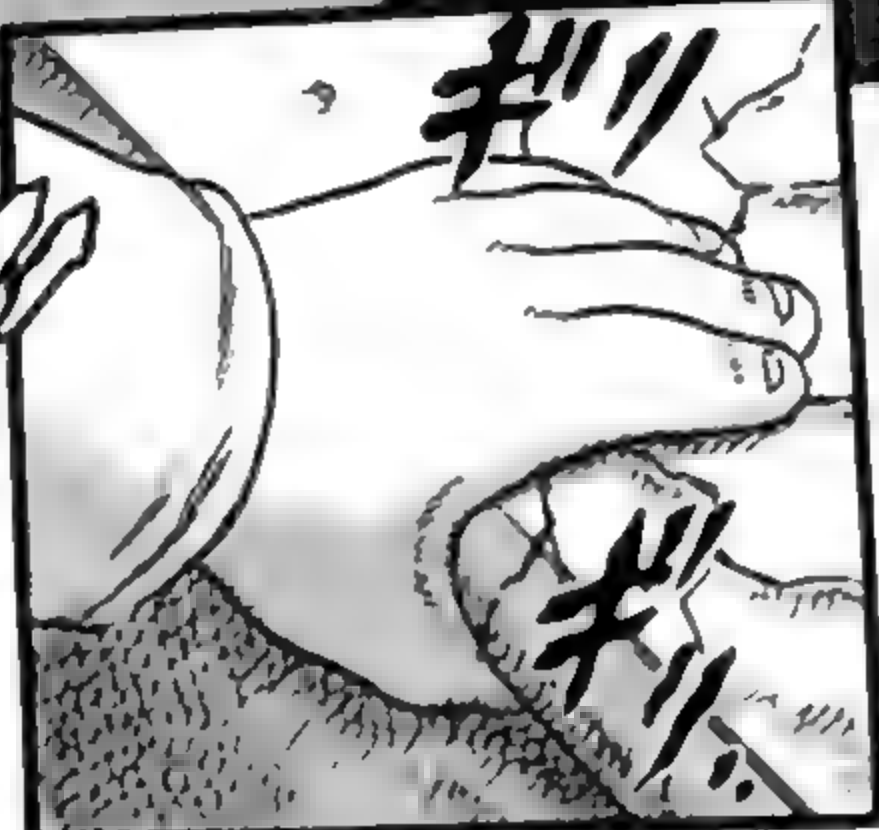
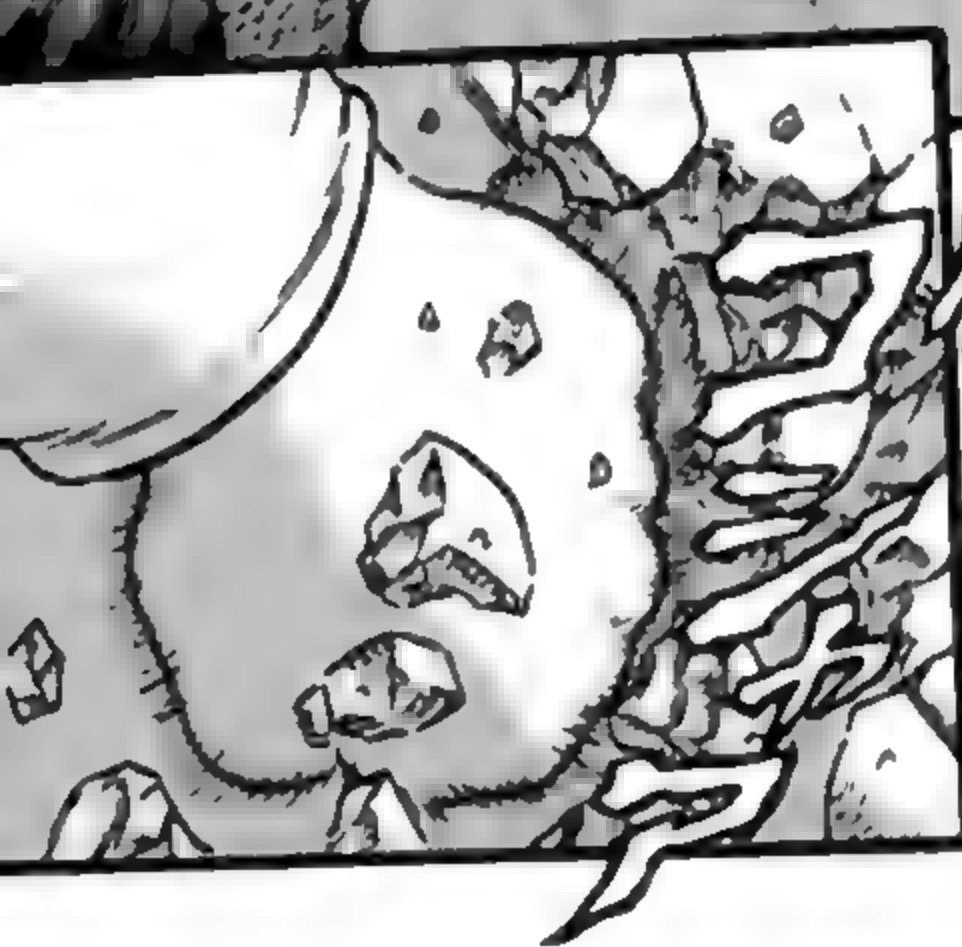
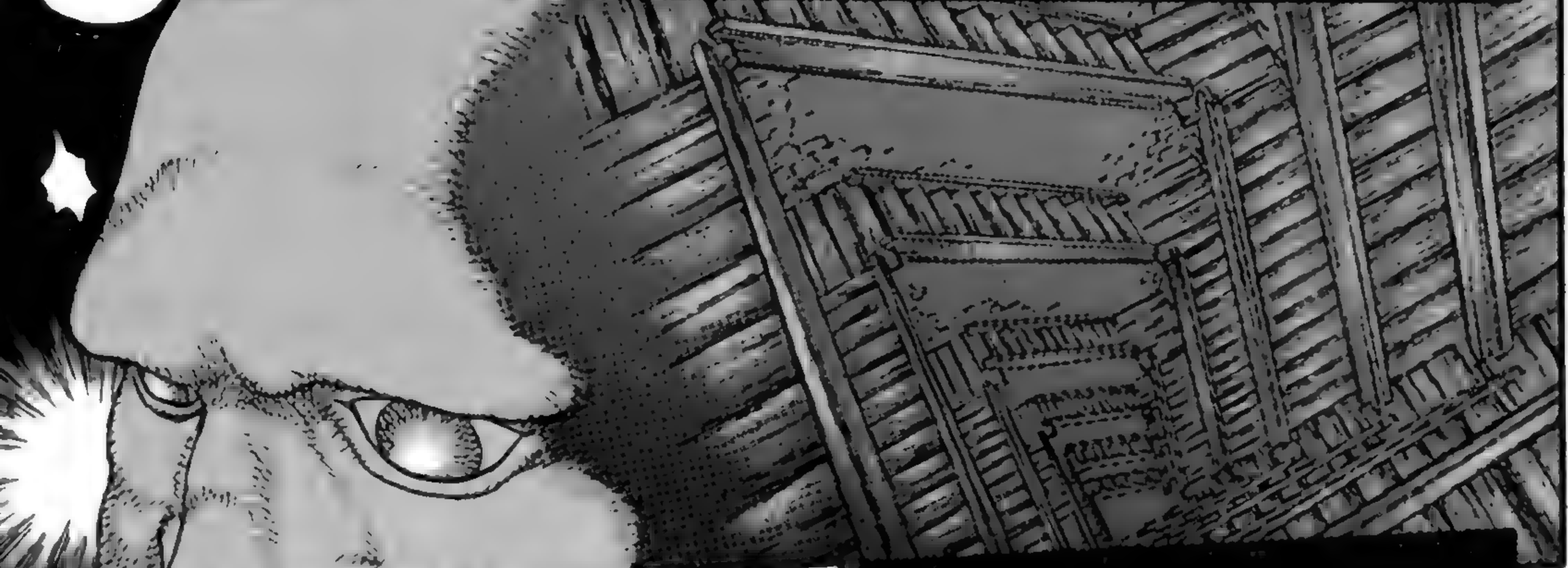
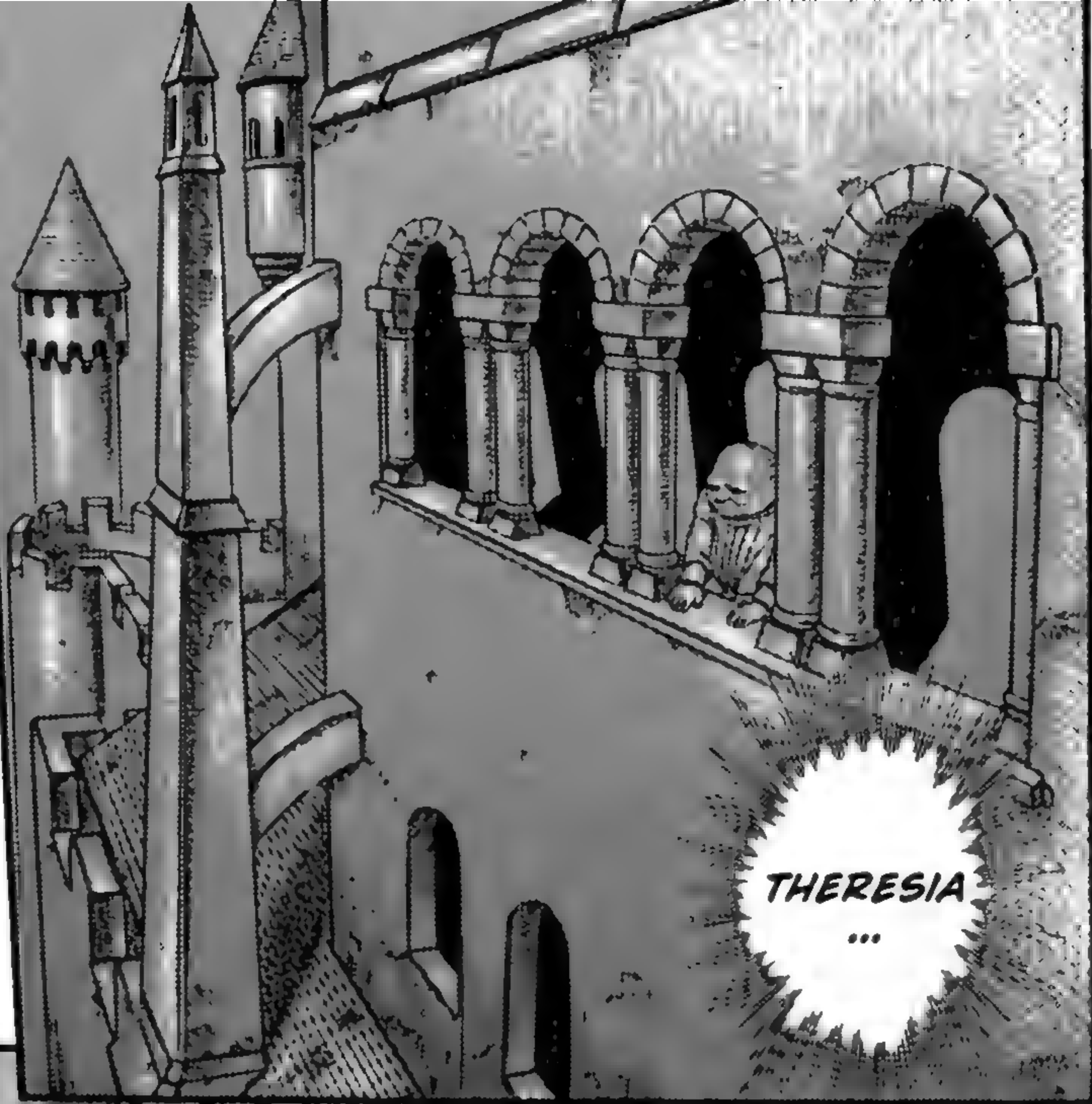


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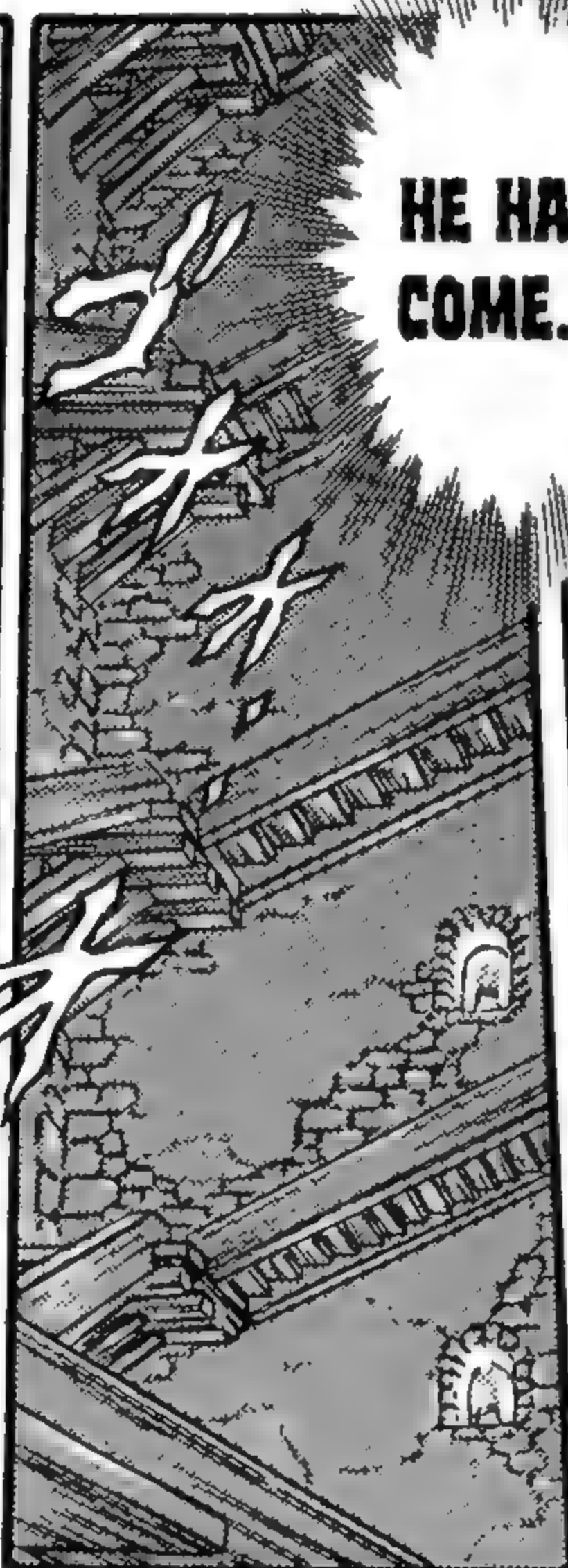


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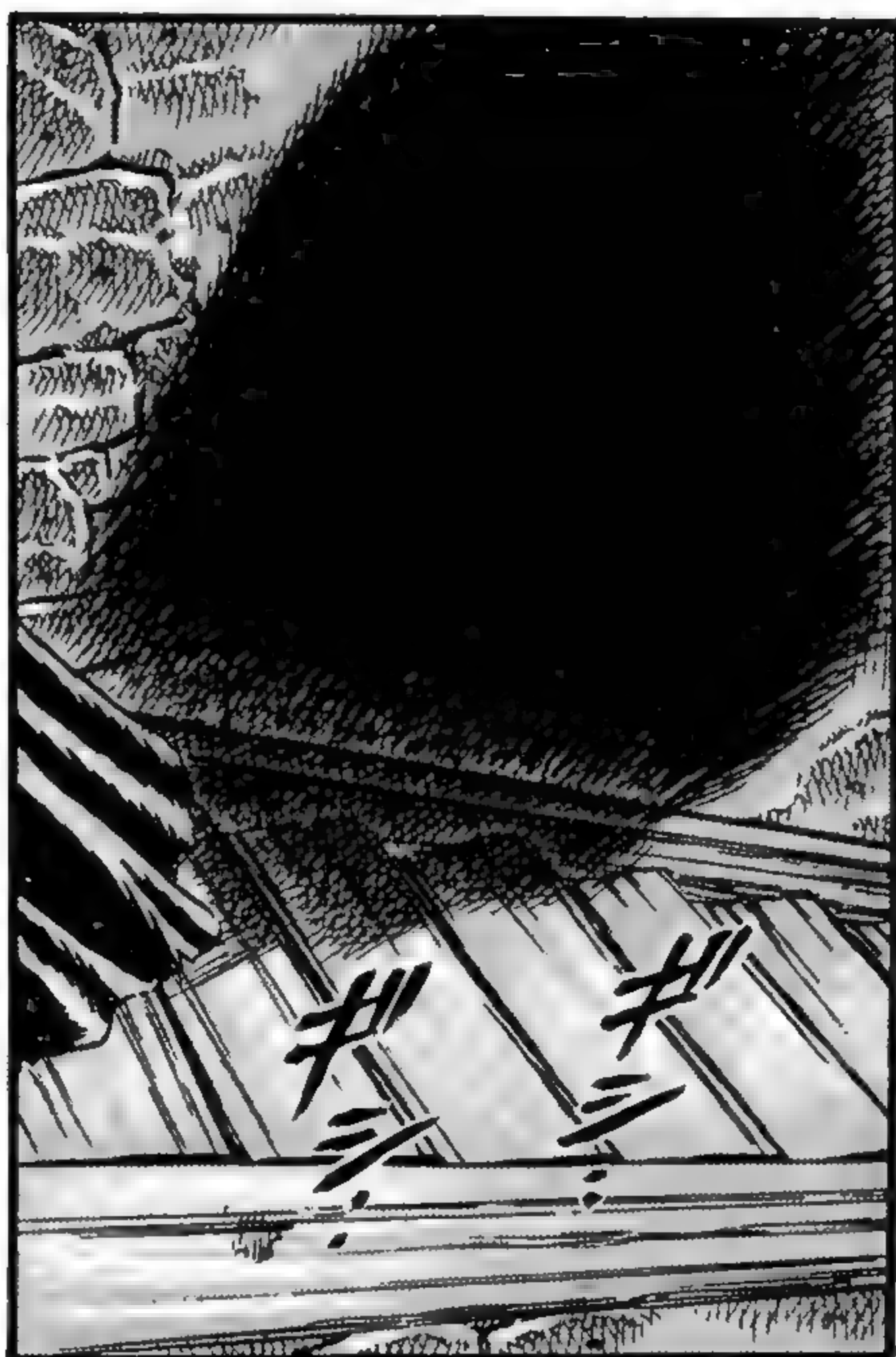
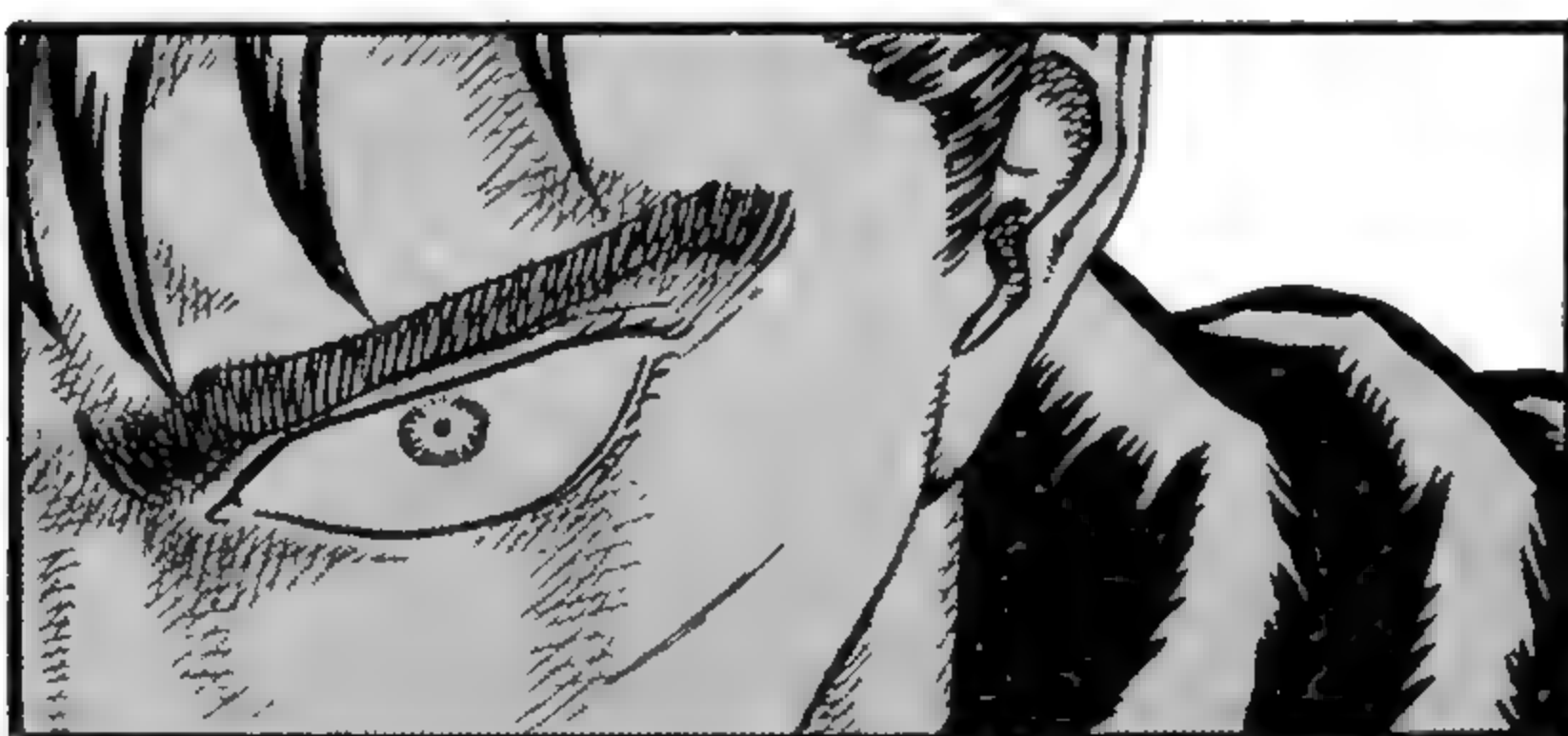
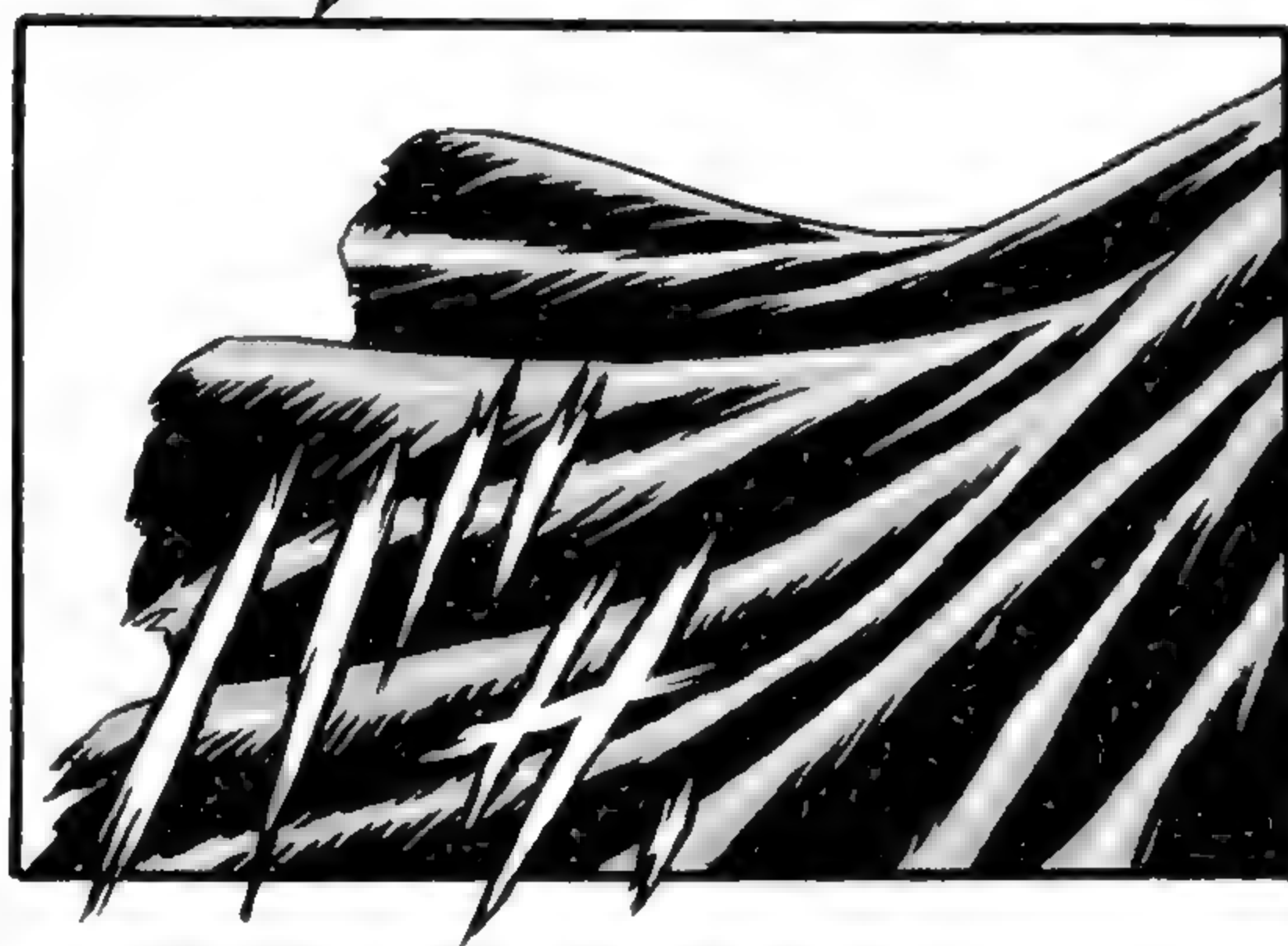








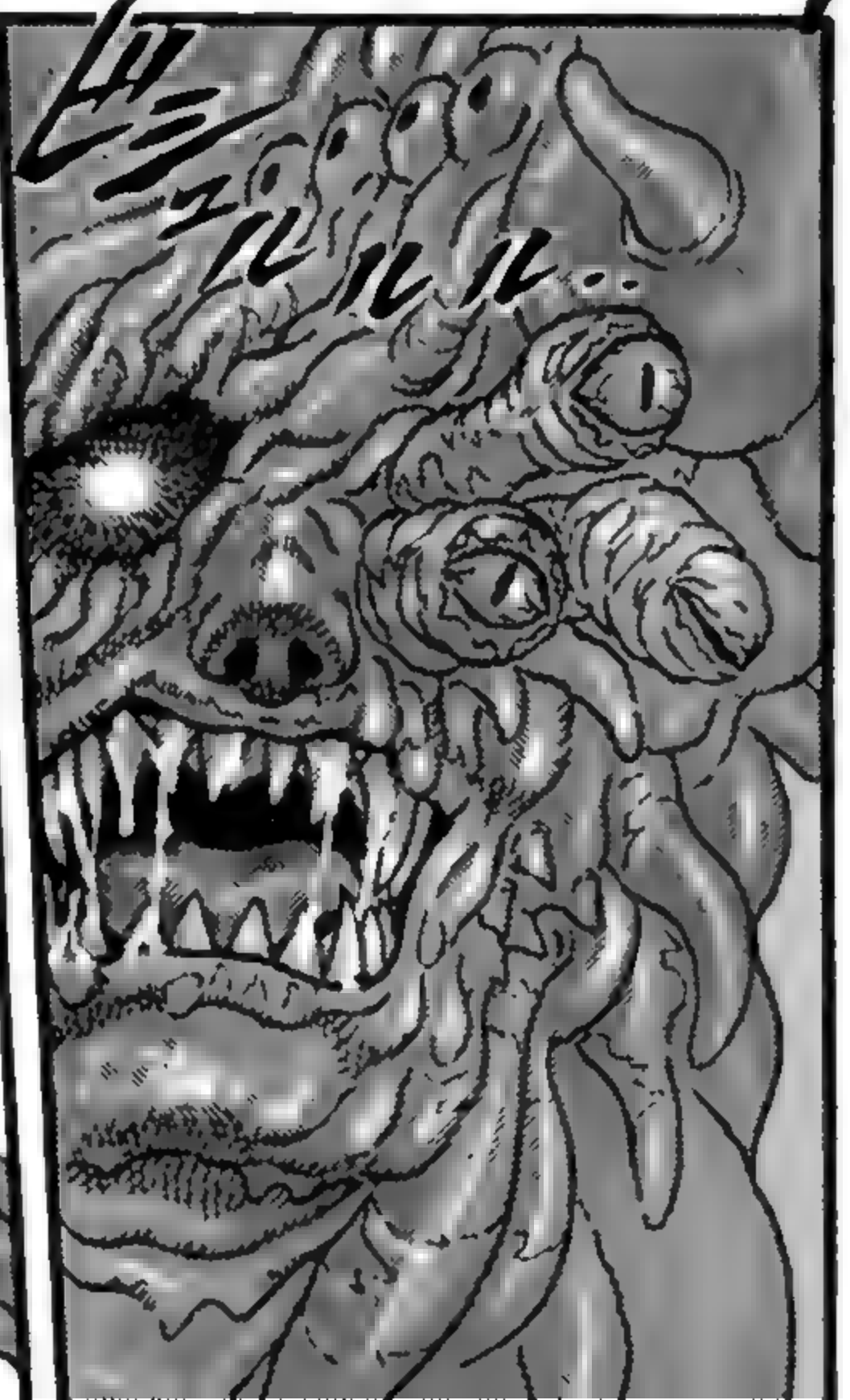
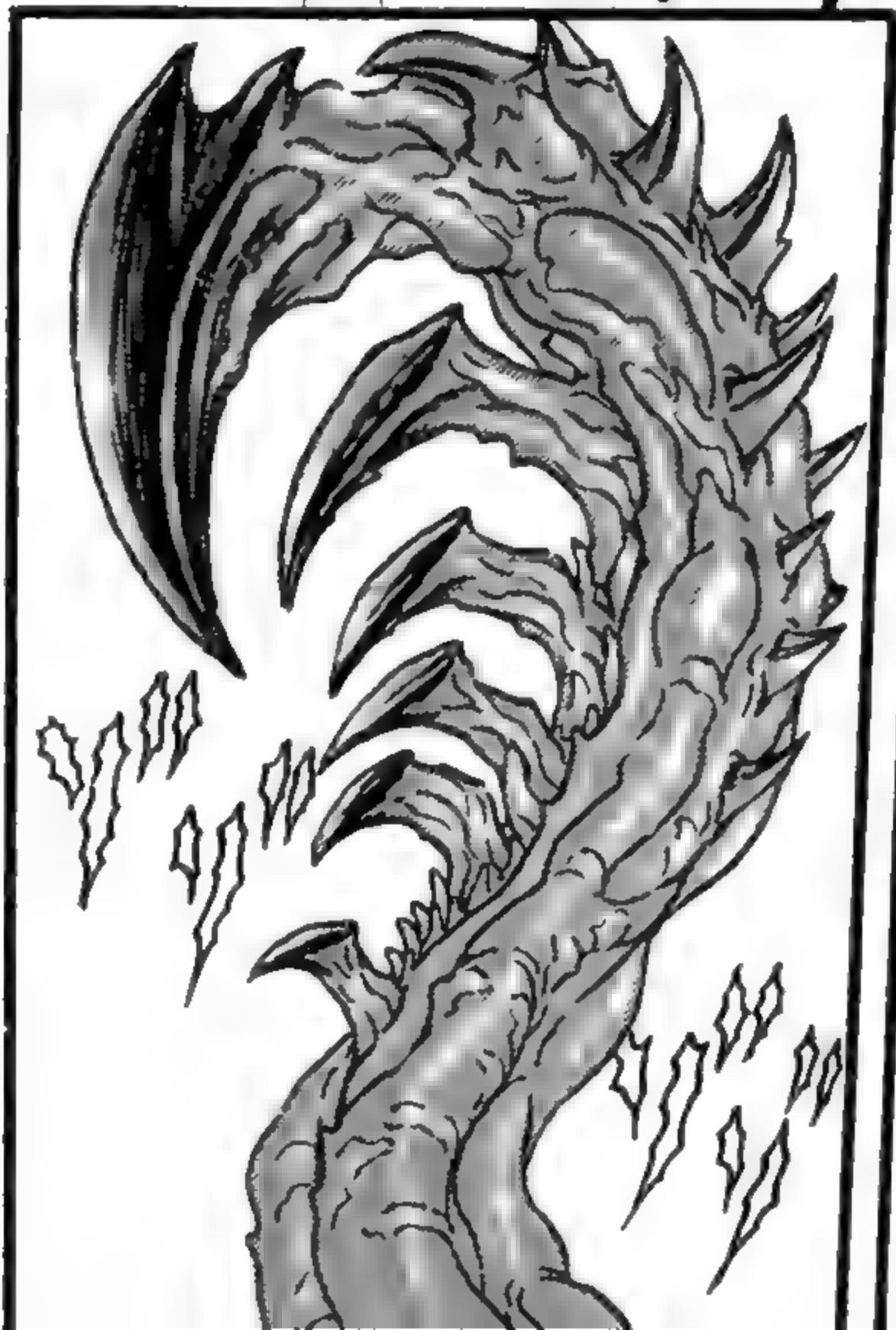
HE HAS  
COME...















YOU'RE MUCH  
PRETTIER  
THAN THE  
LAST TIME  
I SAW  
YOU.





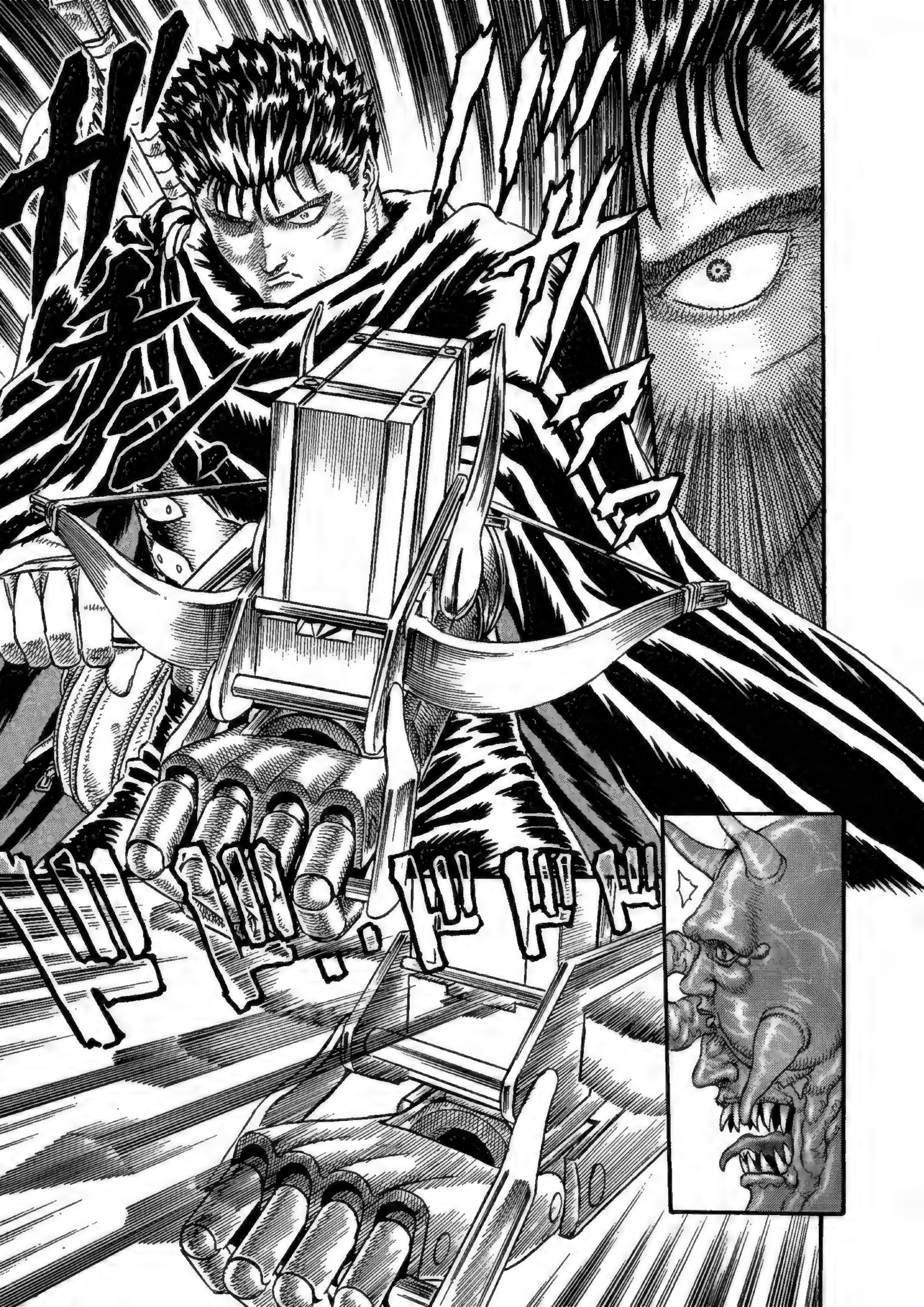
**NO MORE GAMES.  
THIS TIME THERE'S  
NOWHERE  
TO RUN!**



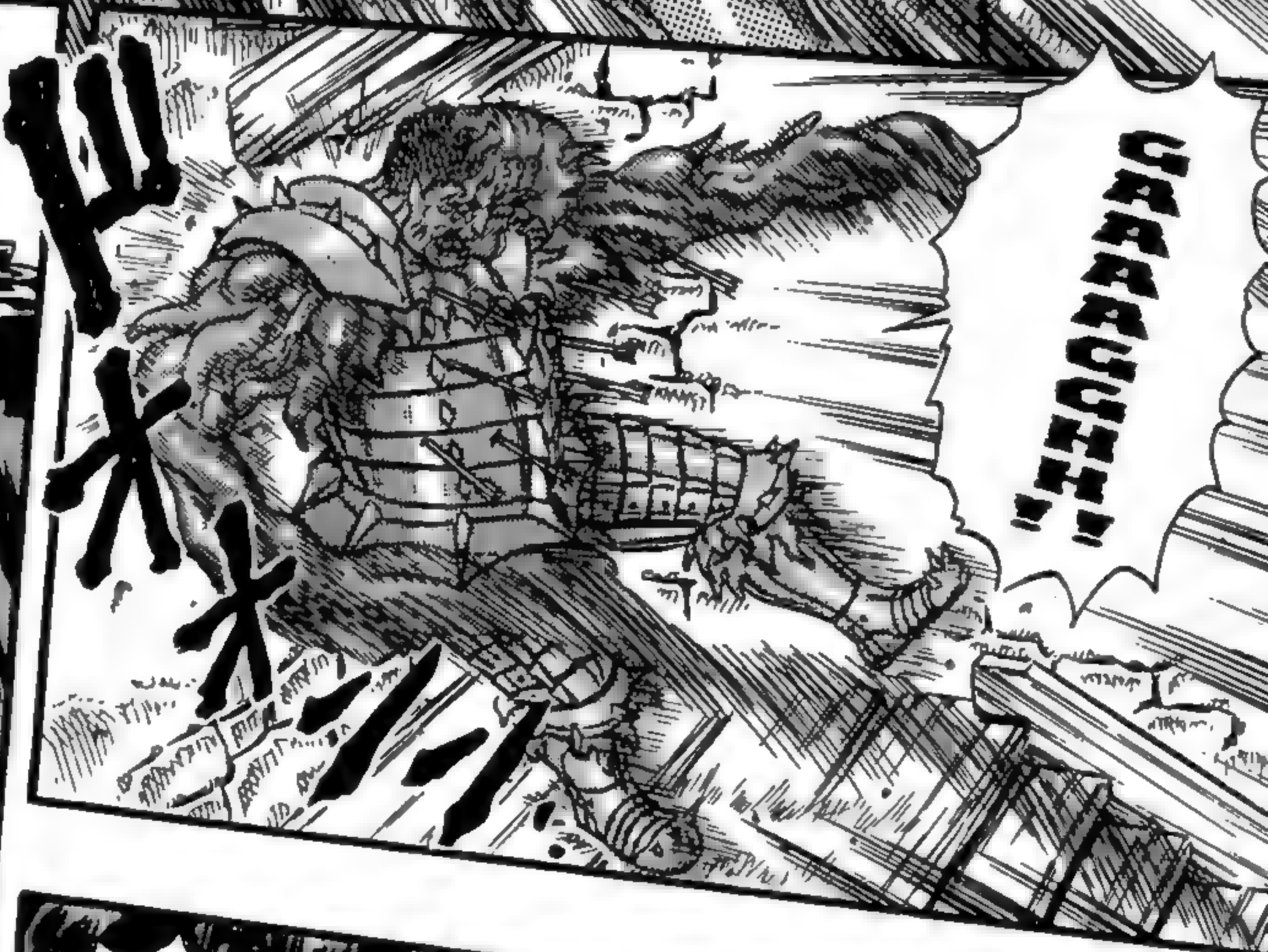
**ウツウツ...**

**ウツ...**













GGGHHH

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AGAAGH-  
GAHH...



























**...I'LL JUST  
KEEP ON  
REGENER-  
ATING  
MYSELF!!**

**IT'S FUTILE,  
NO MATTER  
HOW MUCH  
YOU CHOP  
ME UP!**

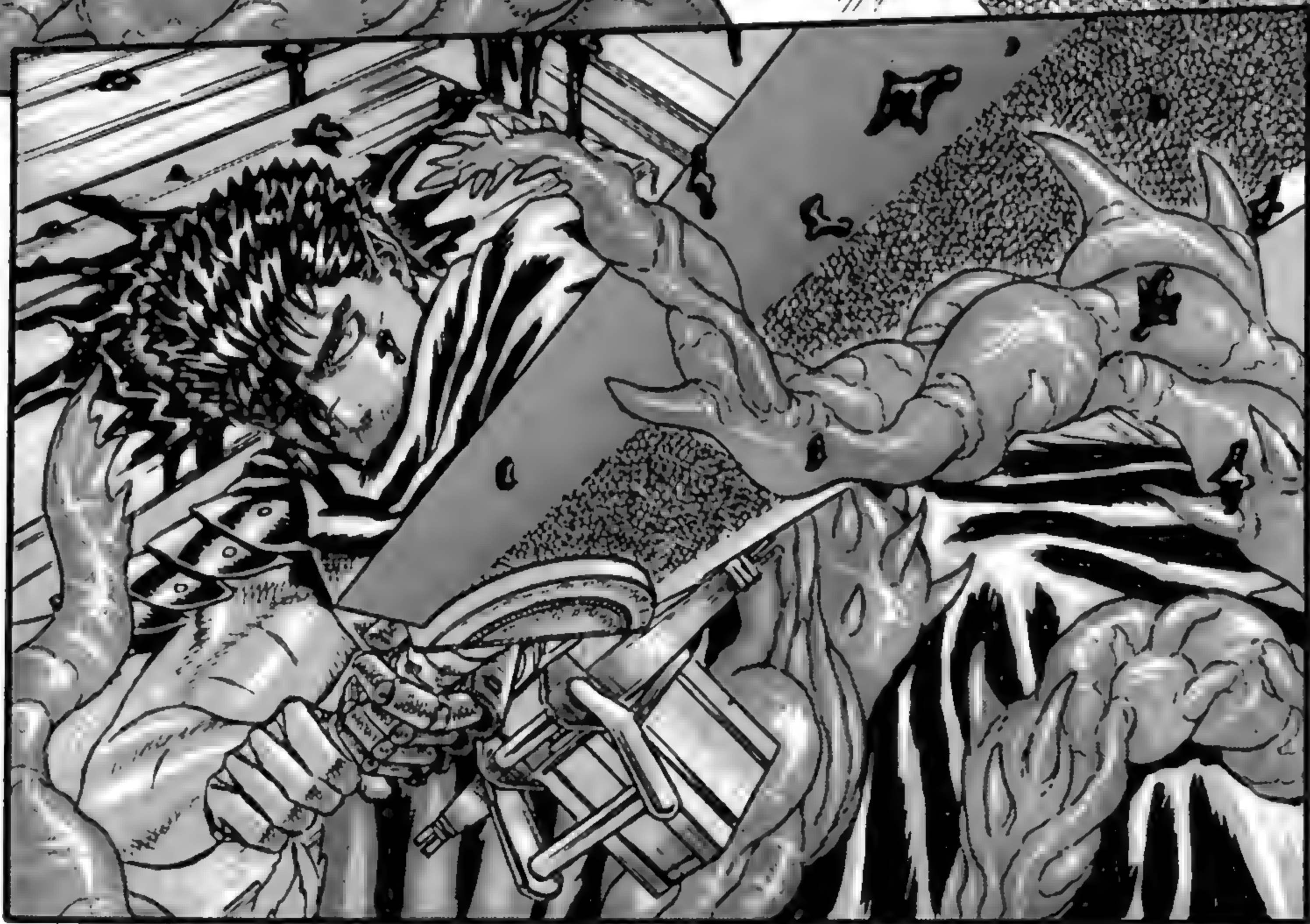
**HEH...  
HEH  
HEH...**

**NO MATTER  
HOW MUCH  
YOU HACK UP THIS  
POSSESSED  
BODY...**

**...UNLESS  
YOU CUT  
OFF MY  
HEAD...**

**OVER  
AND  
OVER  
AGAIN!!**









THANKS  
FOR  
THE  
TIP...

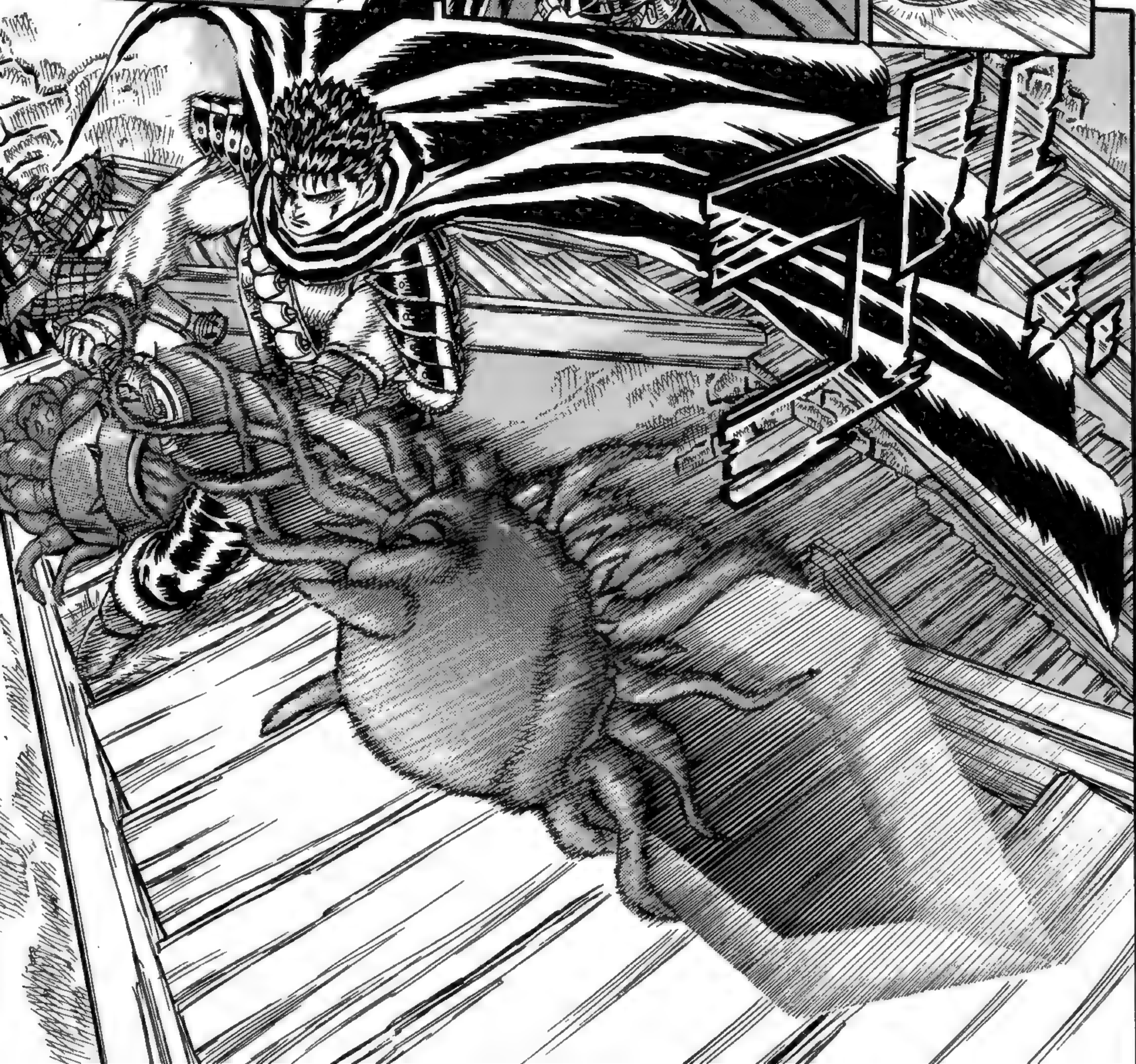




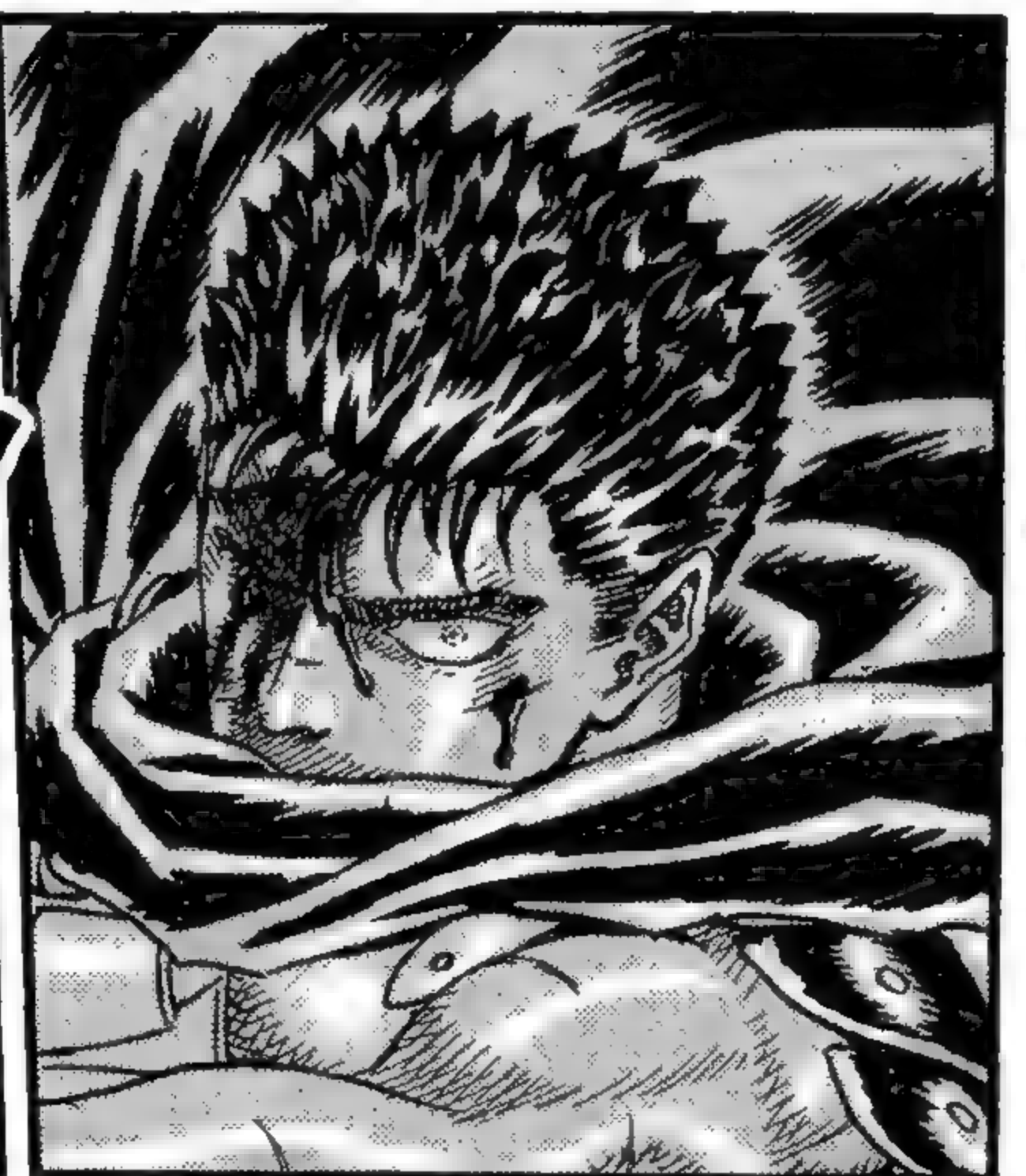
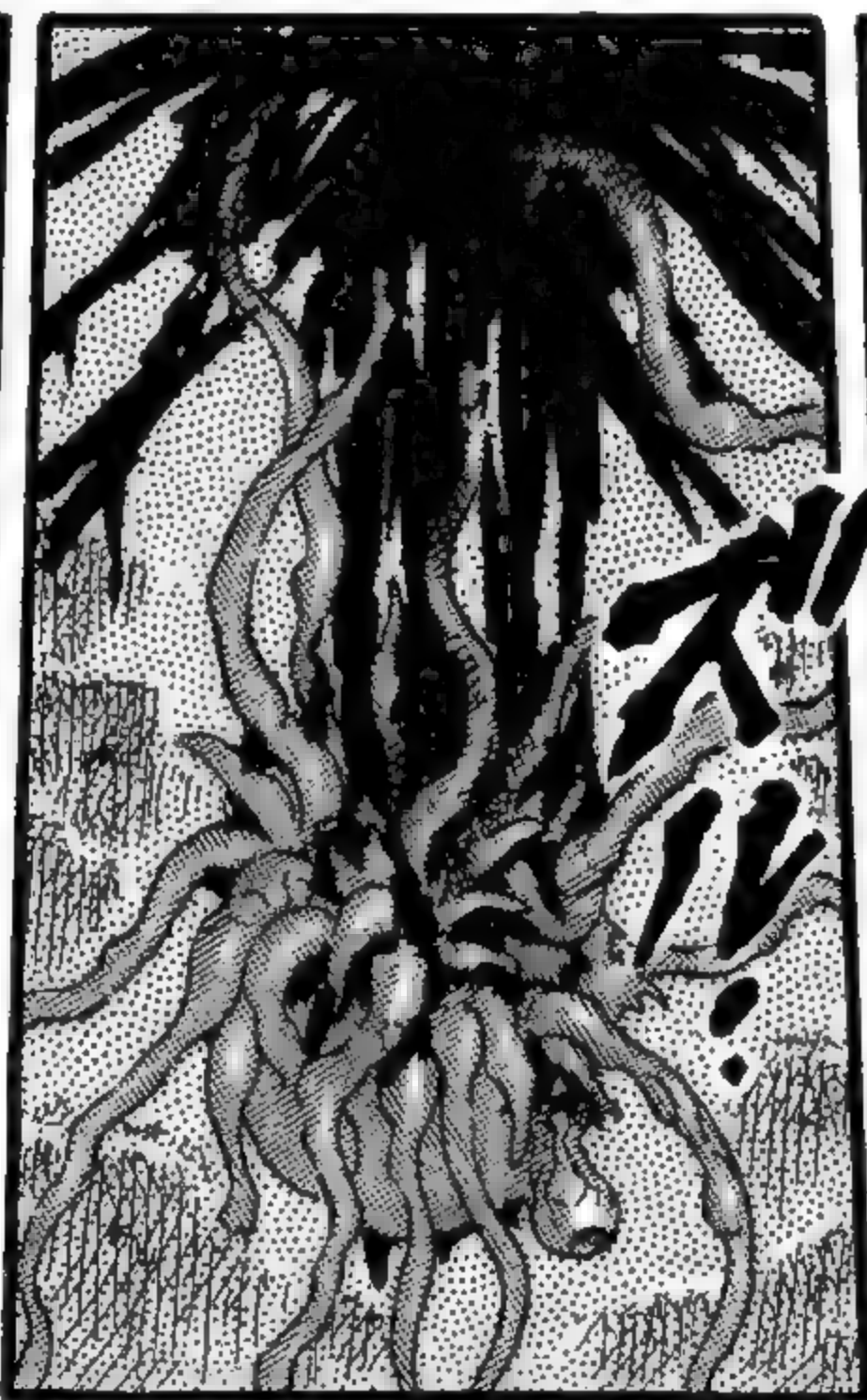




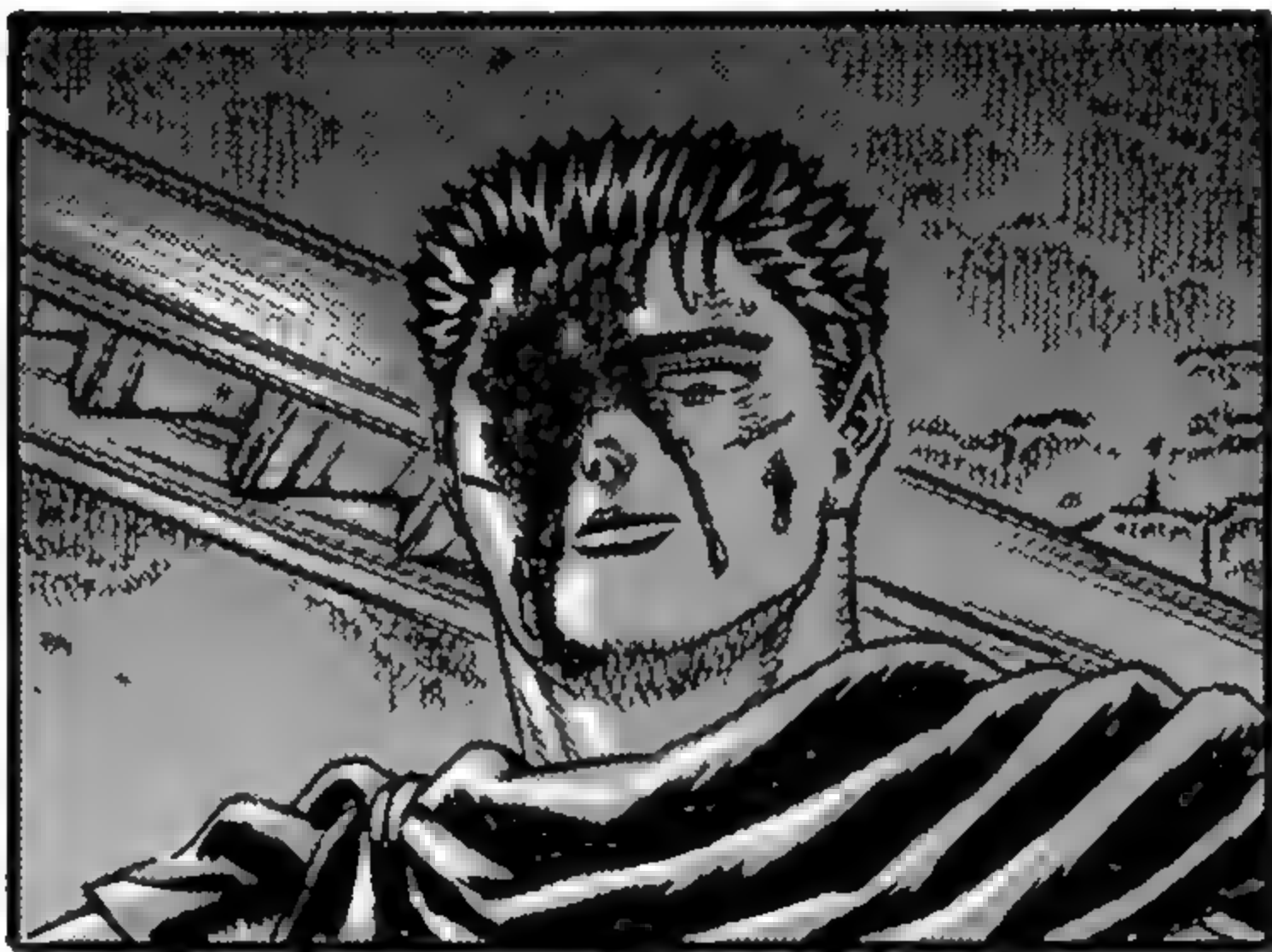
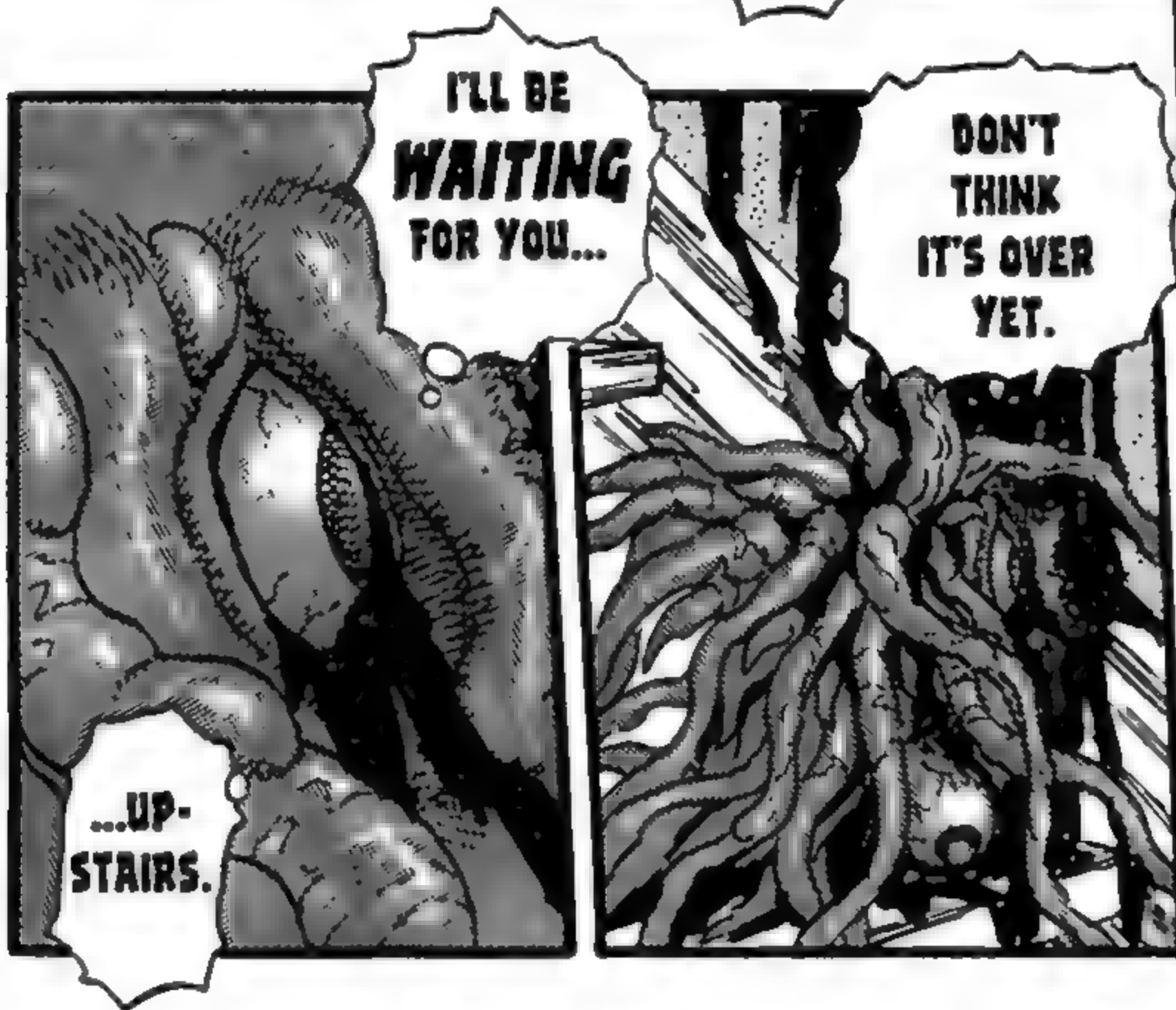
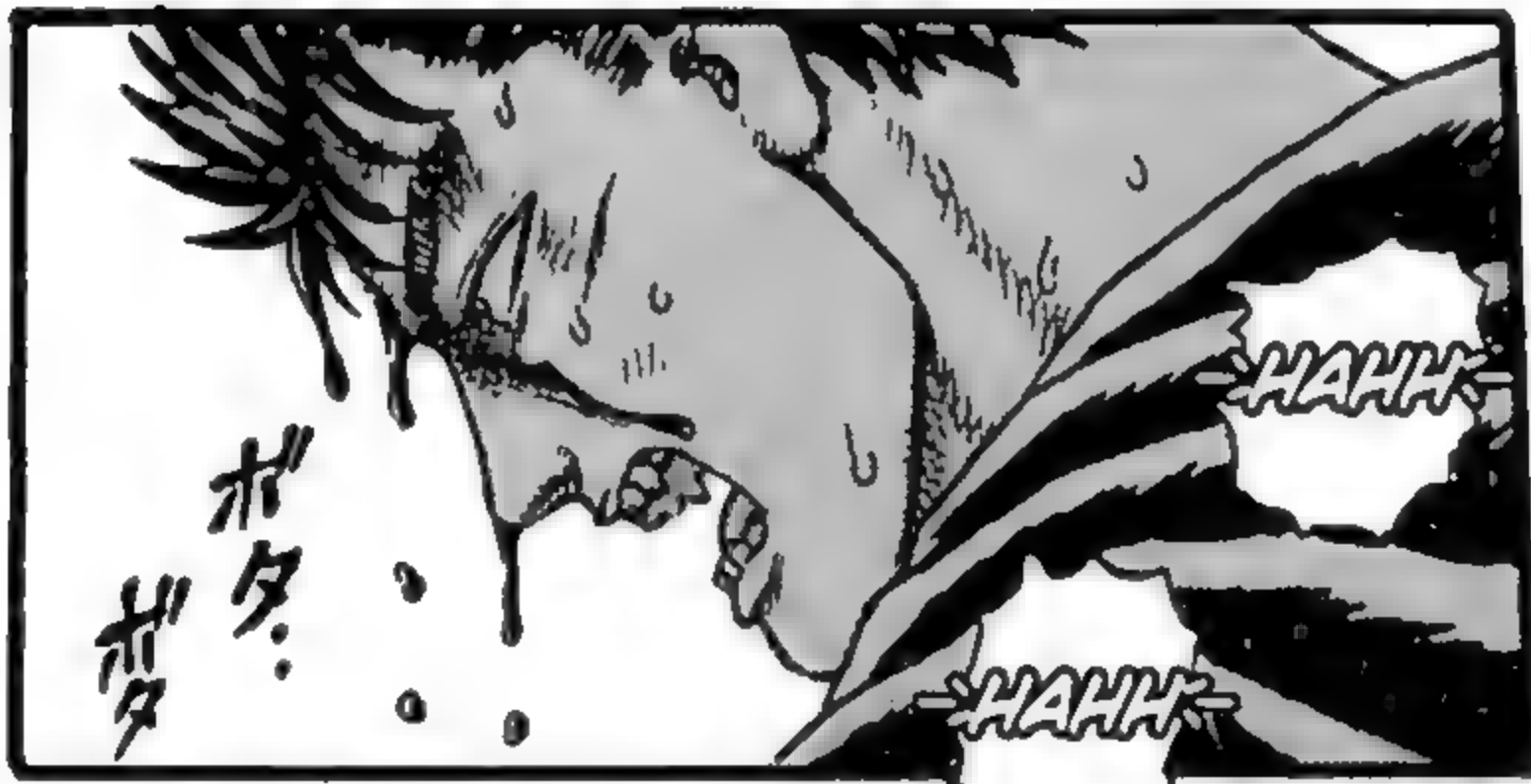
WHA  
...?!

















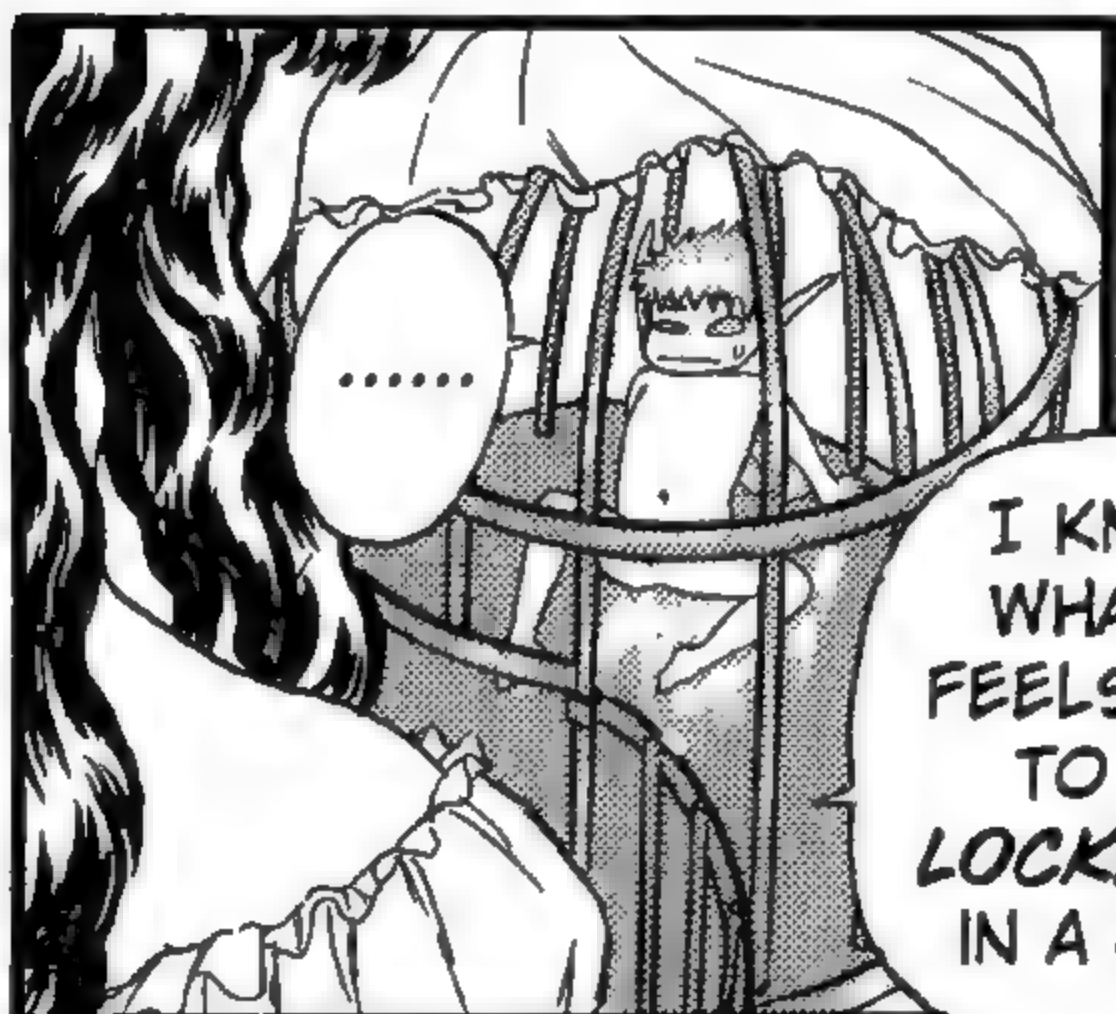






UH....I'M NOT VERY TASTY. E-ELVES AREN'T VERY GOOD FOR YOUR DIGESTION, Y'KNOW... NOT TO MENTION WE'RE HIGH IN *CALORIES*.

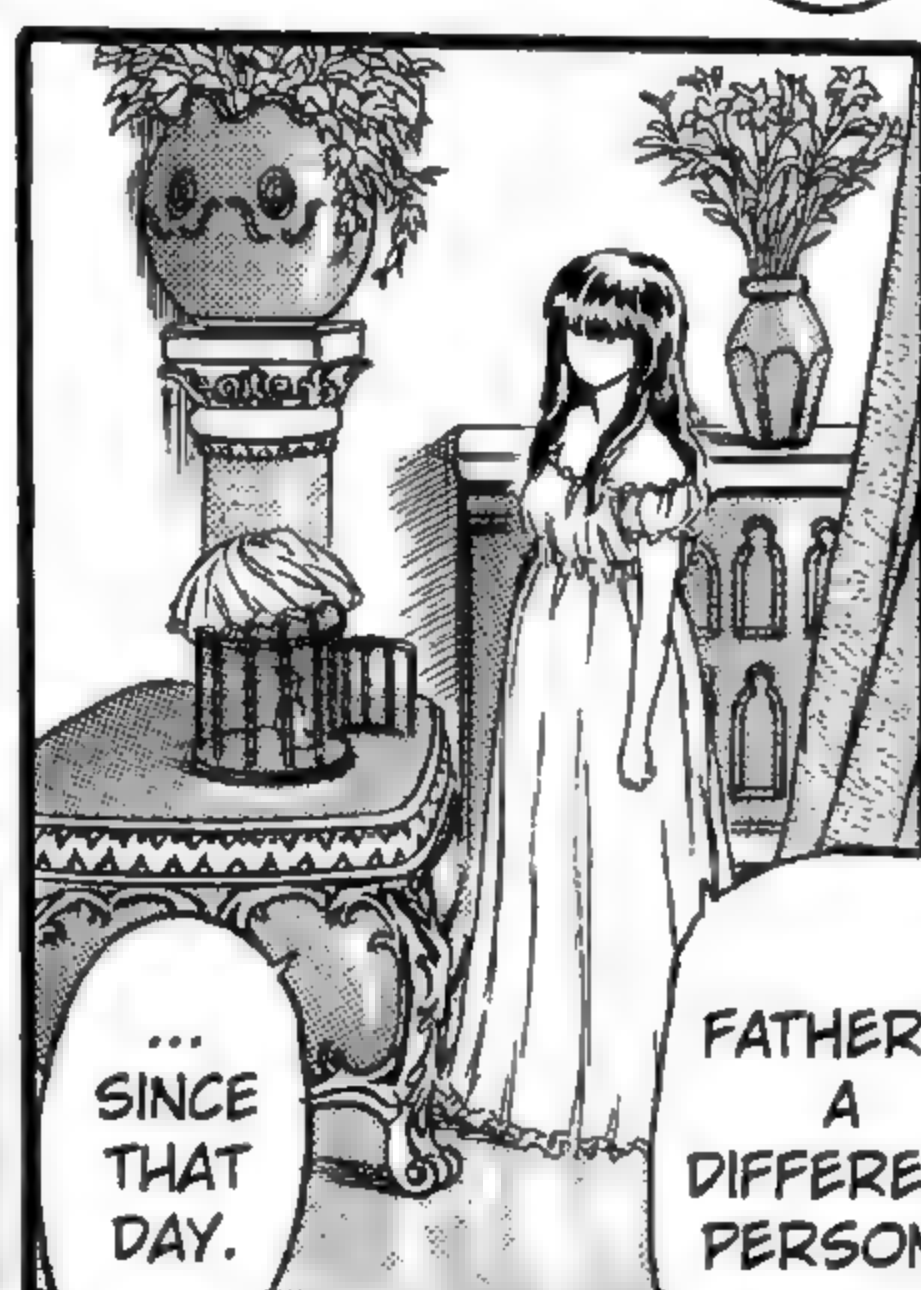
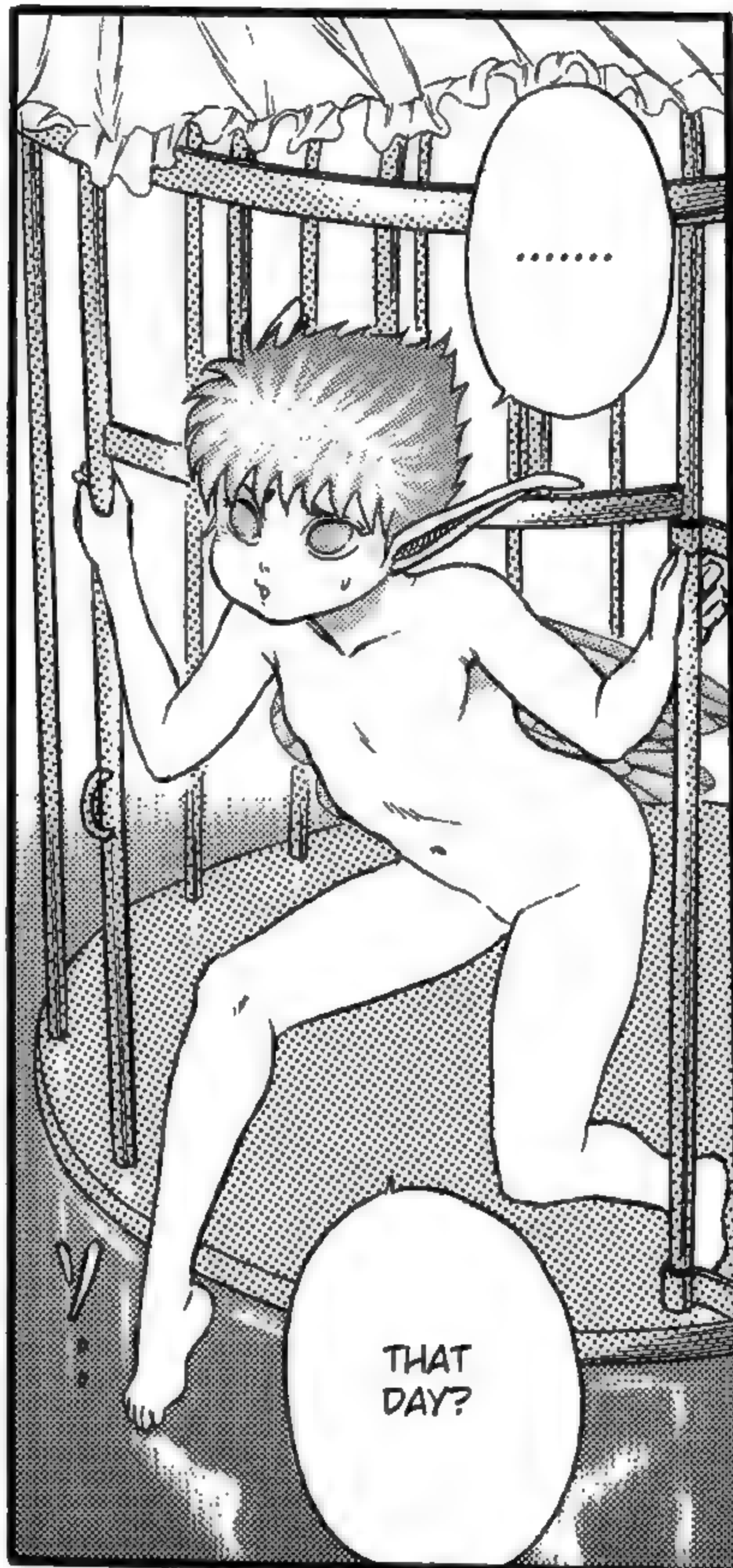
I WON'T *HURT* YOU. YOU CAN COME OUT.



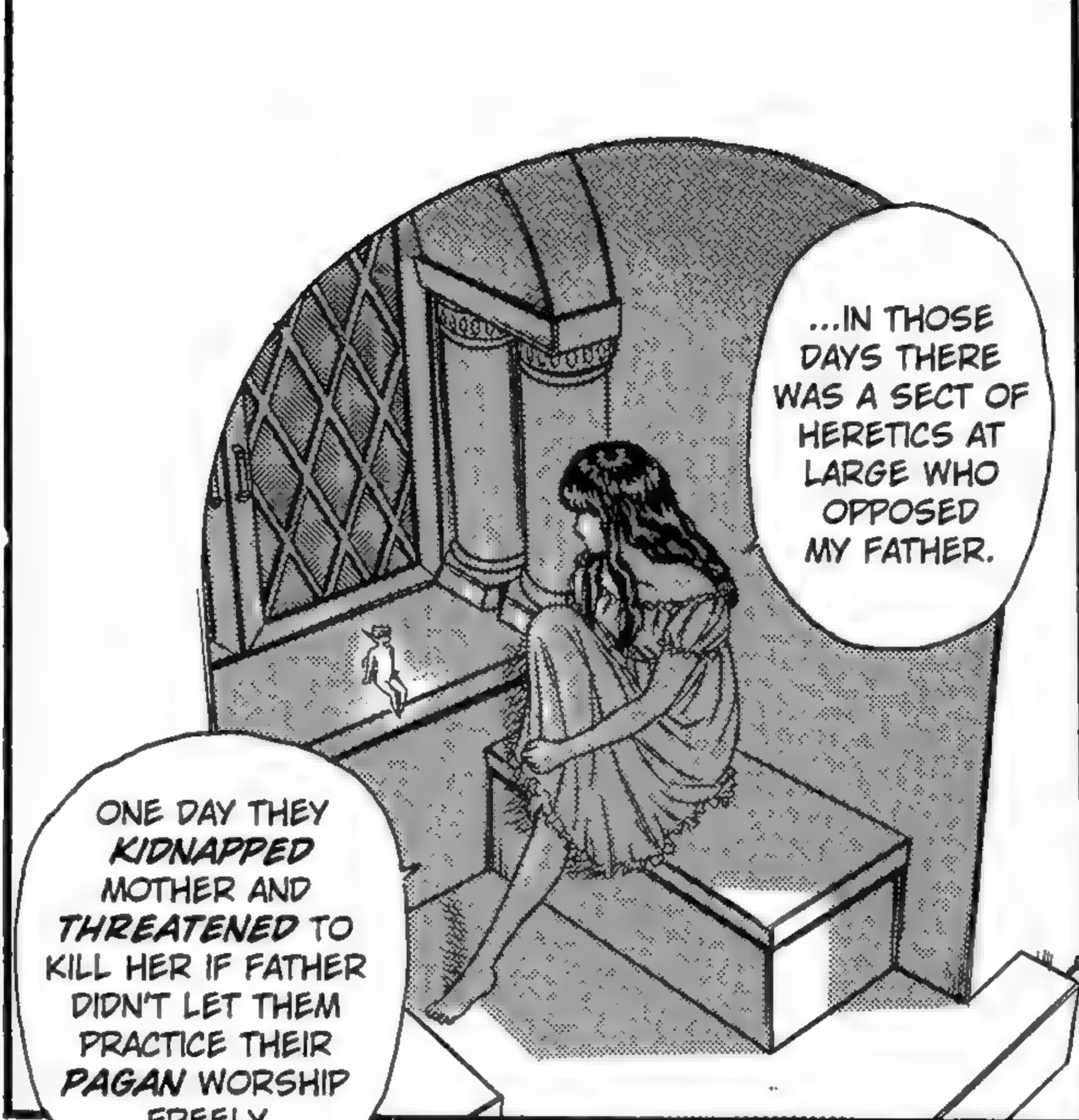
I KNOW WHAT IT FEELS LIKE TO BE *LOCKED UP* IN A CAGE.











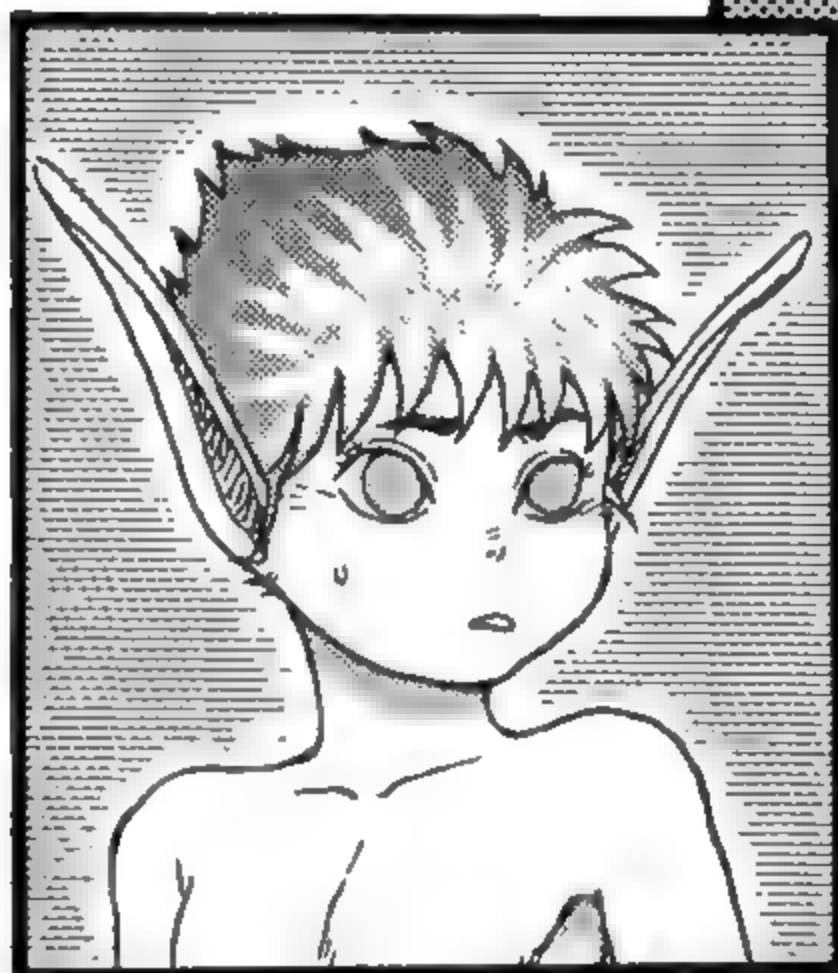
...IN THOSE DAYS THERE WAS A SECT OF HERETICS AT LARGE WHO OPPOSED MY FATHER.

ONE DAY THEY **KIDNAPPED** MOTHER AND **THREATENED** TO KILL HER IF FATHER DIDN'T LET THEM PRACTICE THEIR **PAGAN** WORSHIP FREELY.

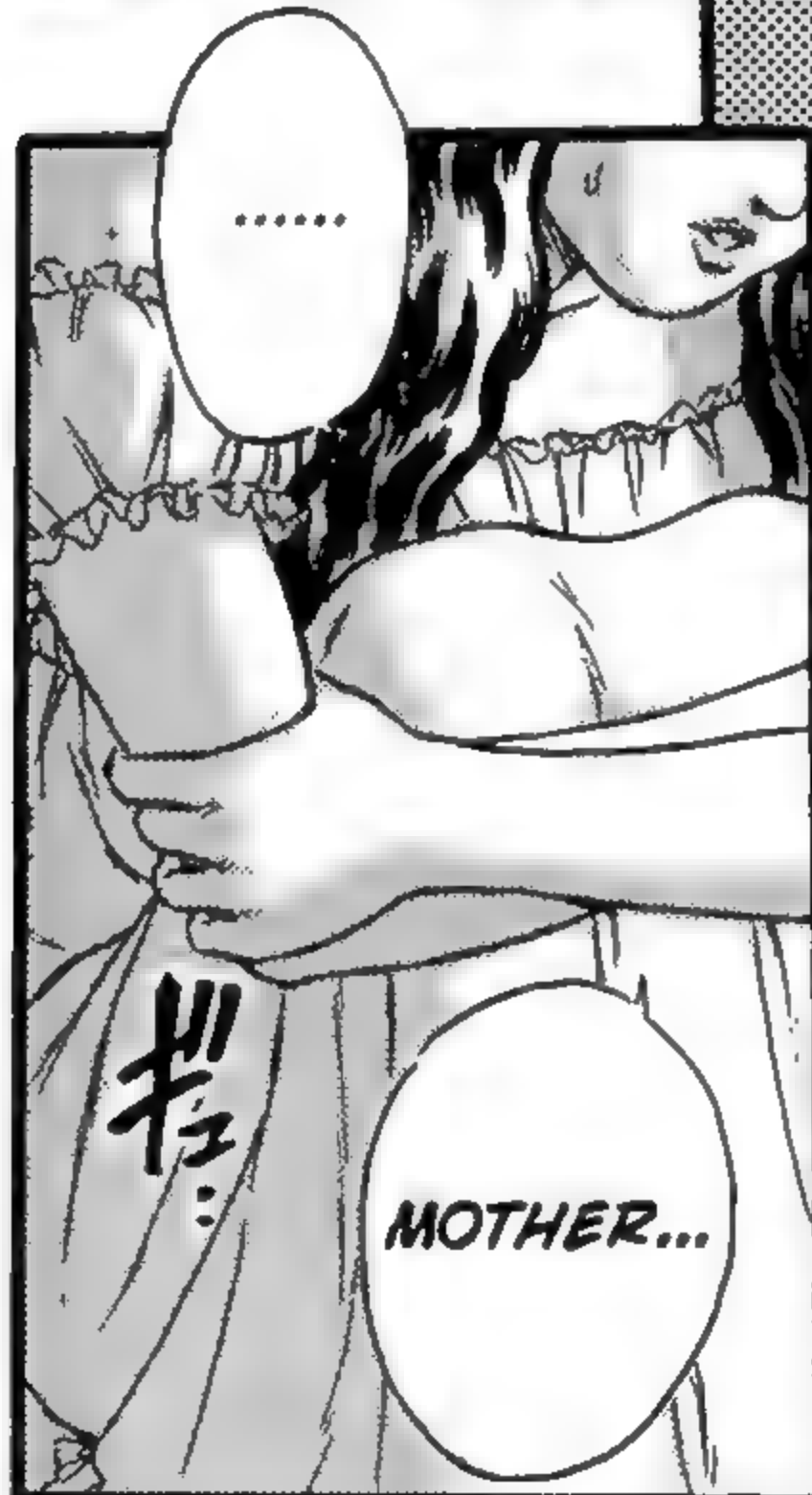


I WAS JUST A BABY THEN, SO I DON'T REMEMBER ANYTHING.

BUT THIS IS WHAT FATHER TOLD ME...



FATHER, OF COURSE, COULDN'T ALLOW THAT WITHOUT PERMISSION FROM THE KING, SO HE **REFUSED** THEIR DEMANDS...



MOTHER...



...AND THEY CARRIED OUT THEIR **THREAT**.







MOTHER  
WAS  
SACRIFICED  
ALIVE...

....!  
...AS AN  
OFFERING  
TO THEIR  
EVIL GOD.

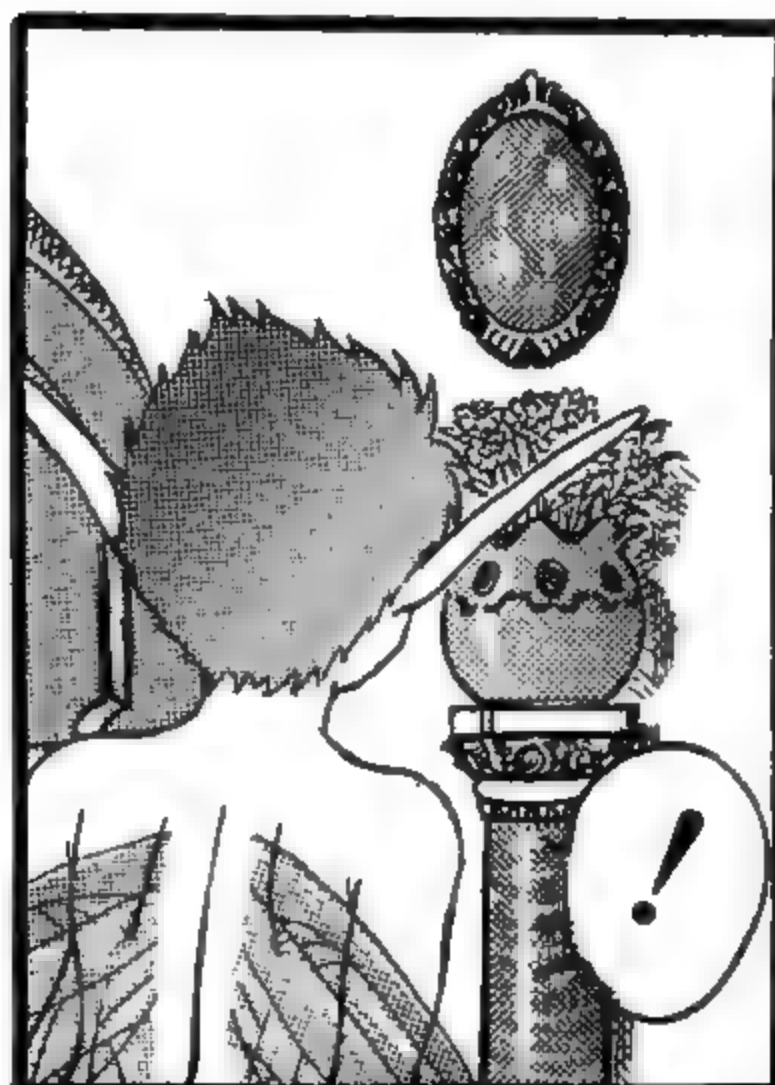


HE MAY HAVE BEEN  
**HARSH**, BUT THAT  
WAS SO HE COULD  
DEFEND HIS KINGDOM  
AGAINST NEIGHBORING  
ENEMIES. HE WAS  
TRUSTED AND LOVED  
BY ALL...



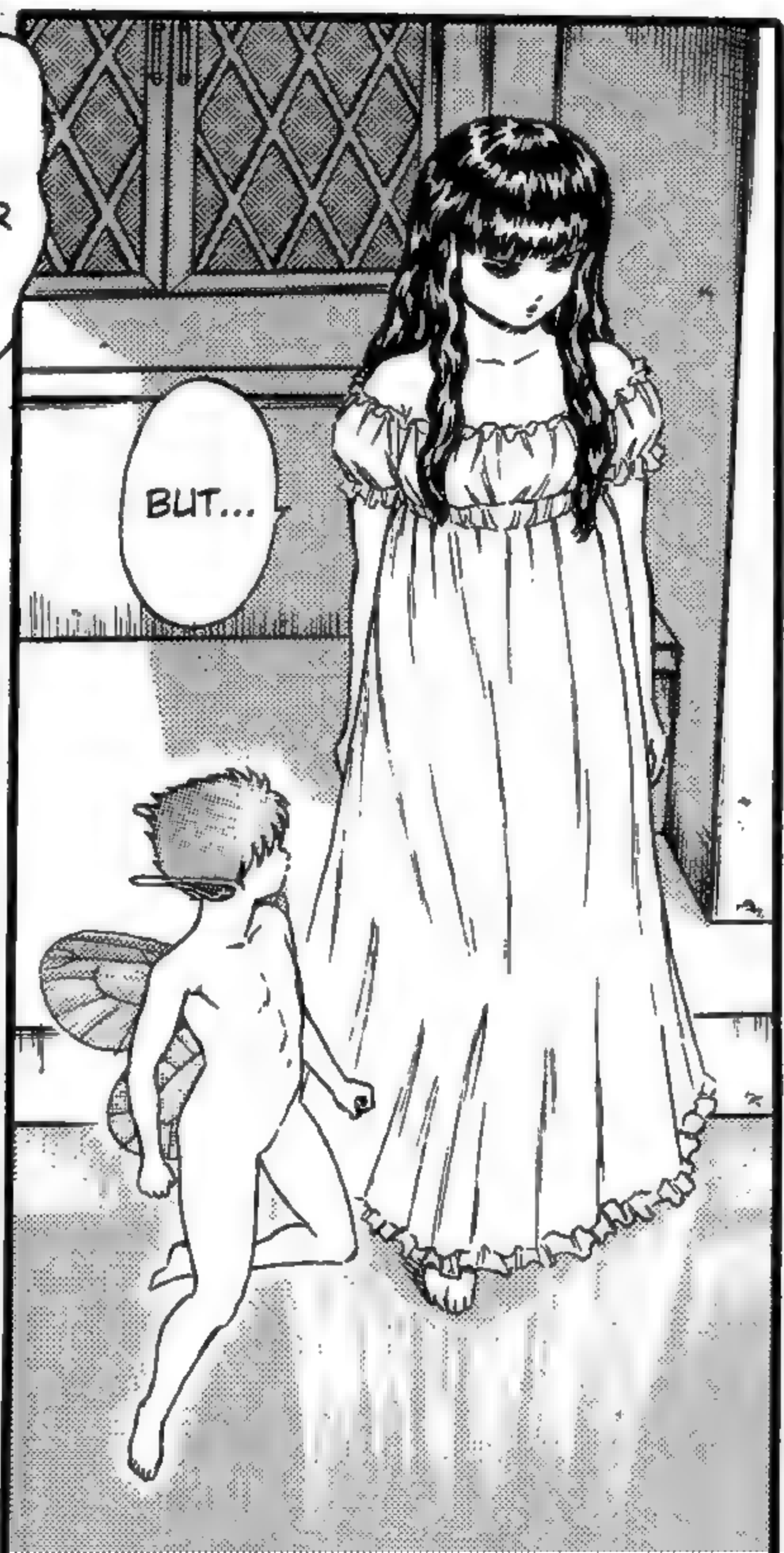
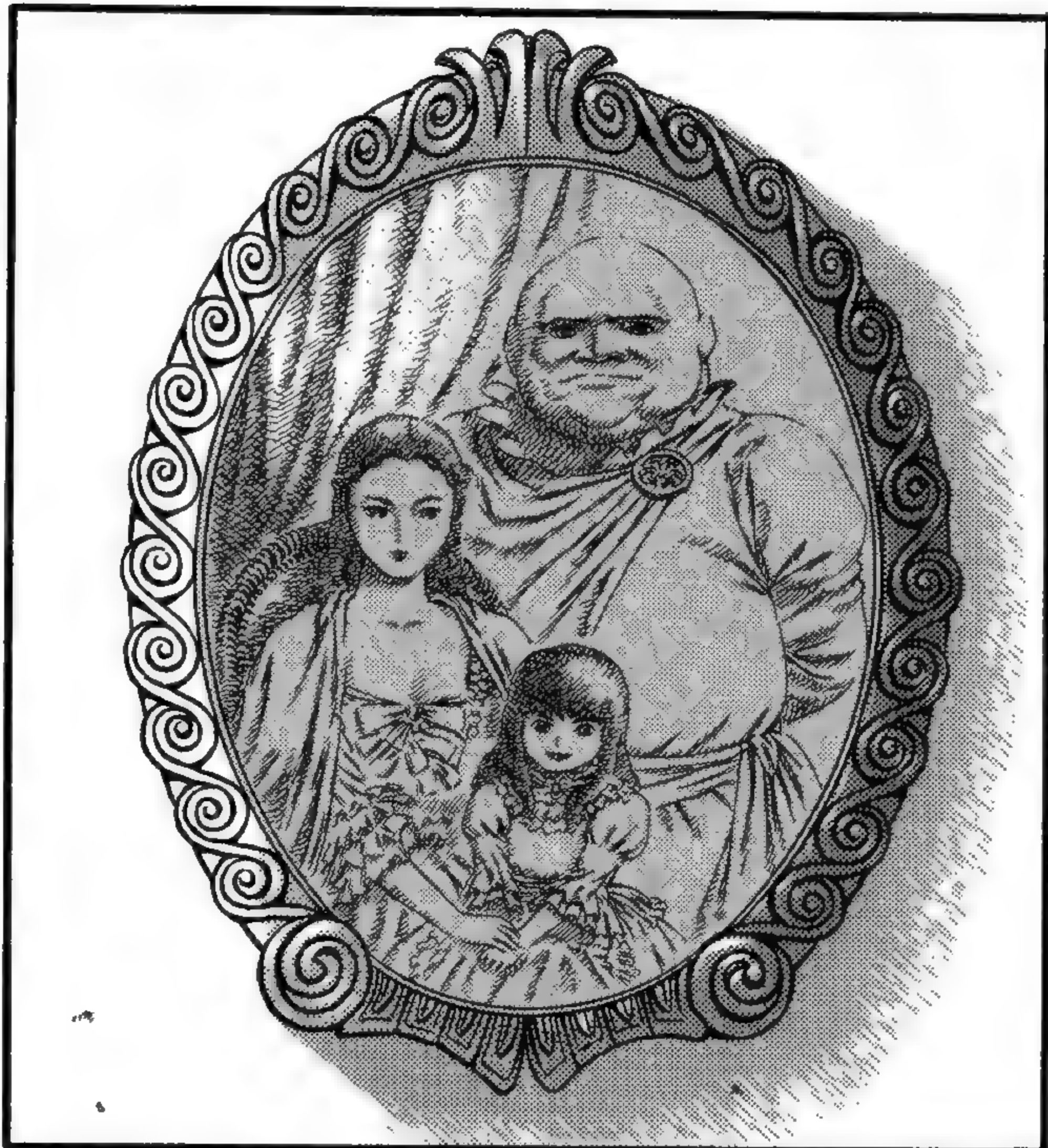
FATHER  
WAS A  
**GREAT**  
RULER.

.....

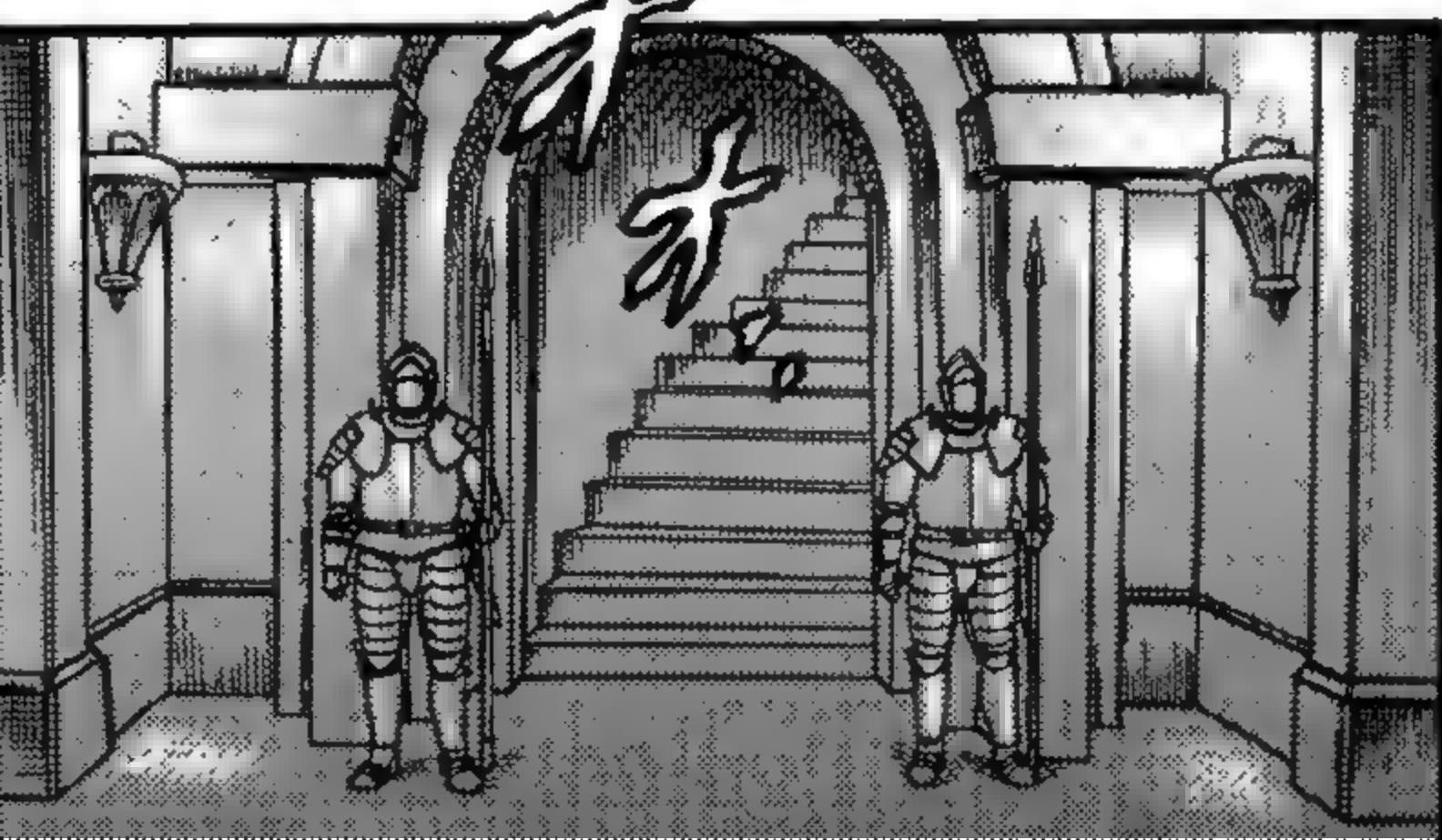
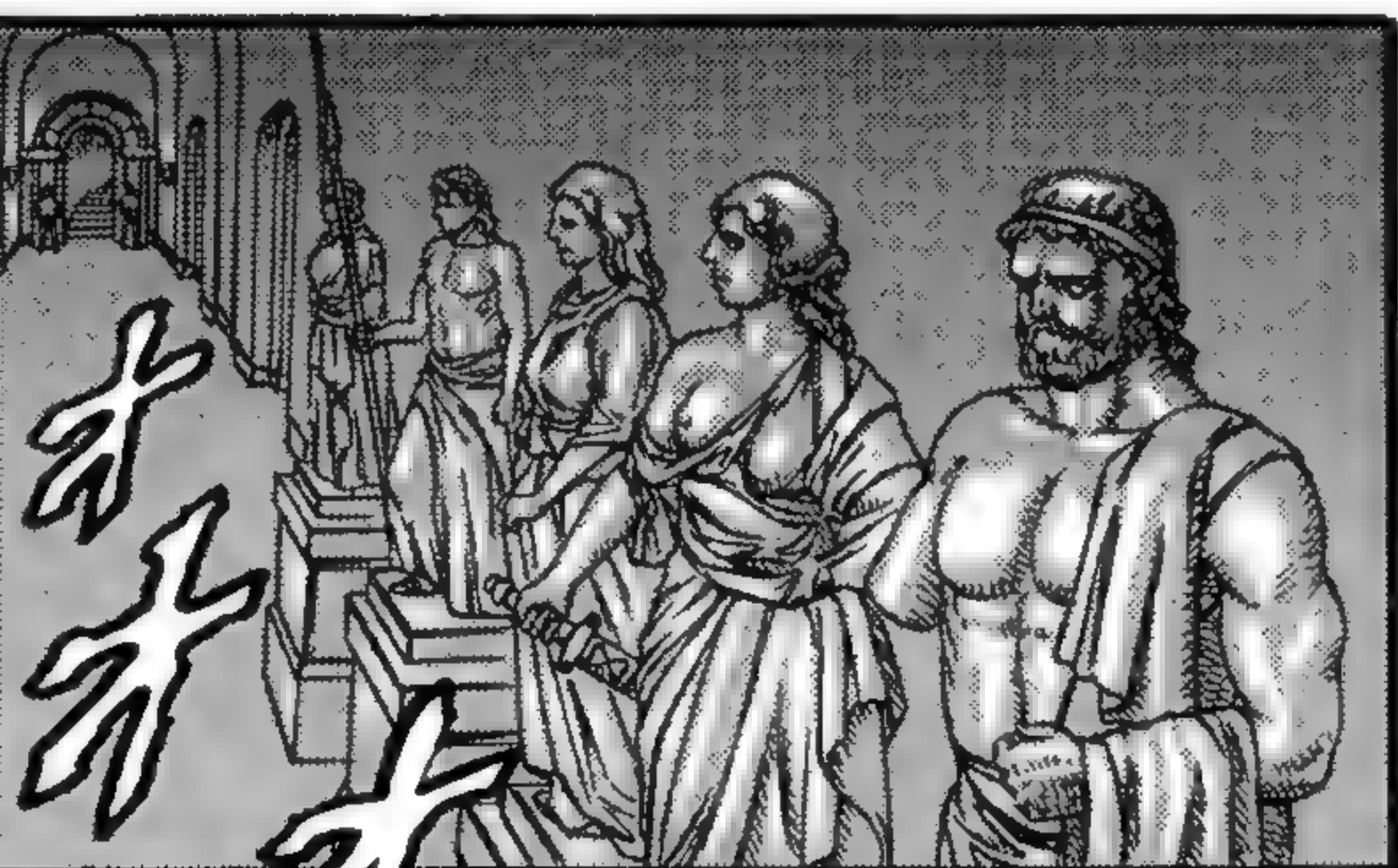
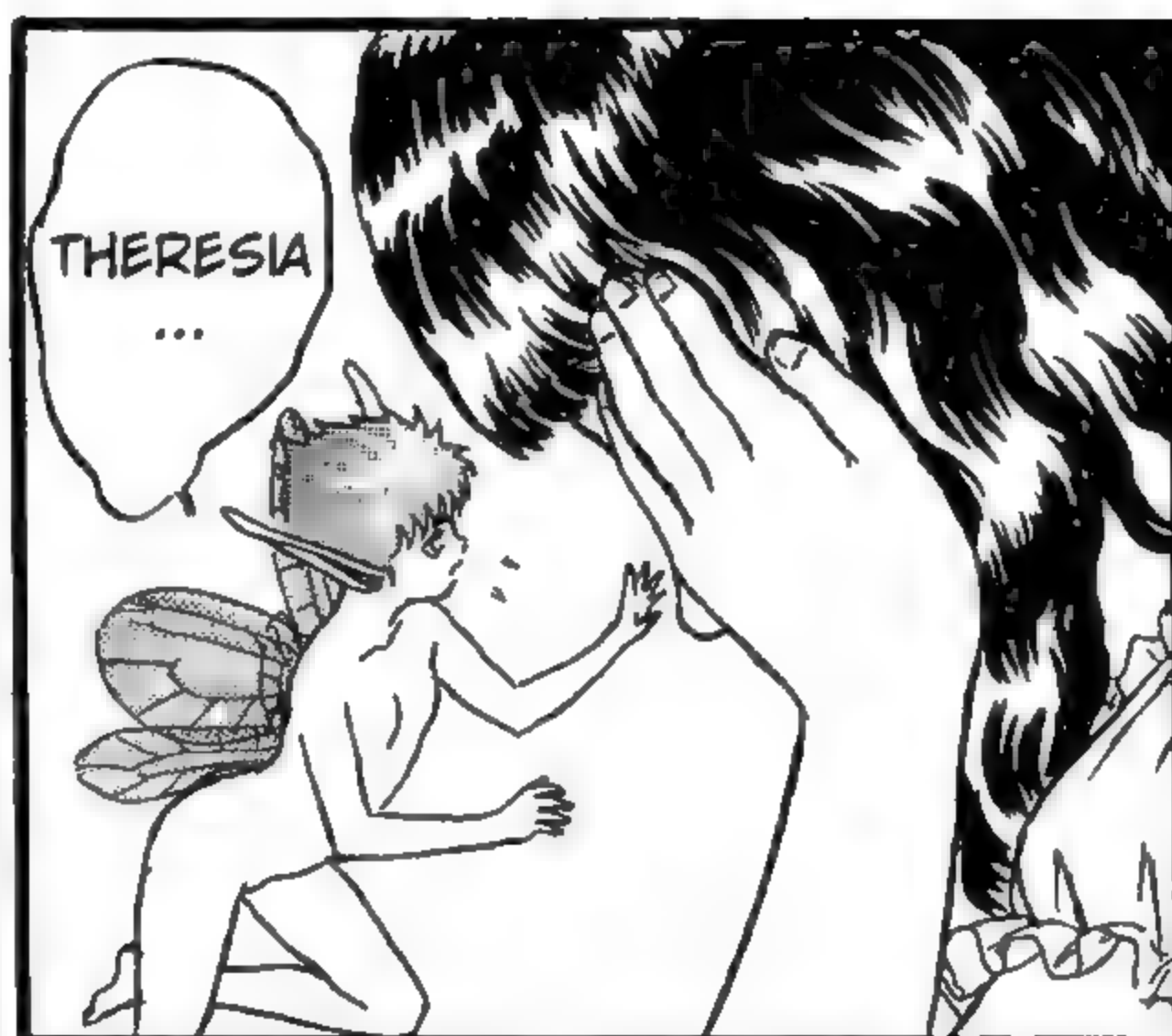


...EVEN  
AS A  
**FATHER**.

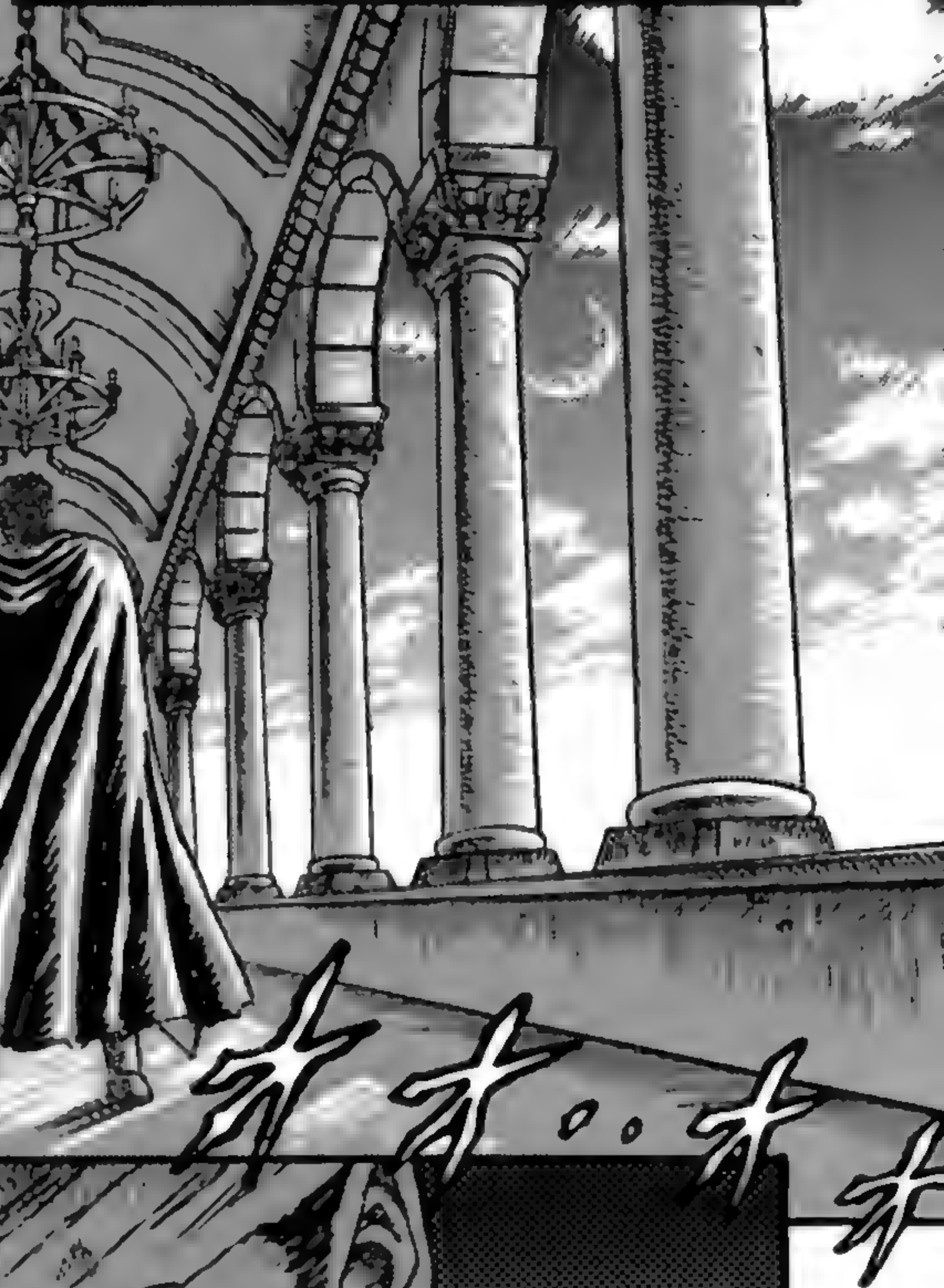




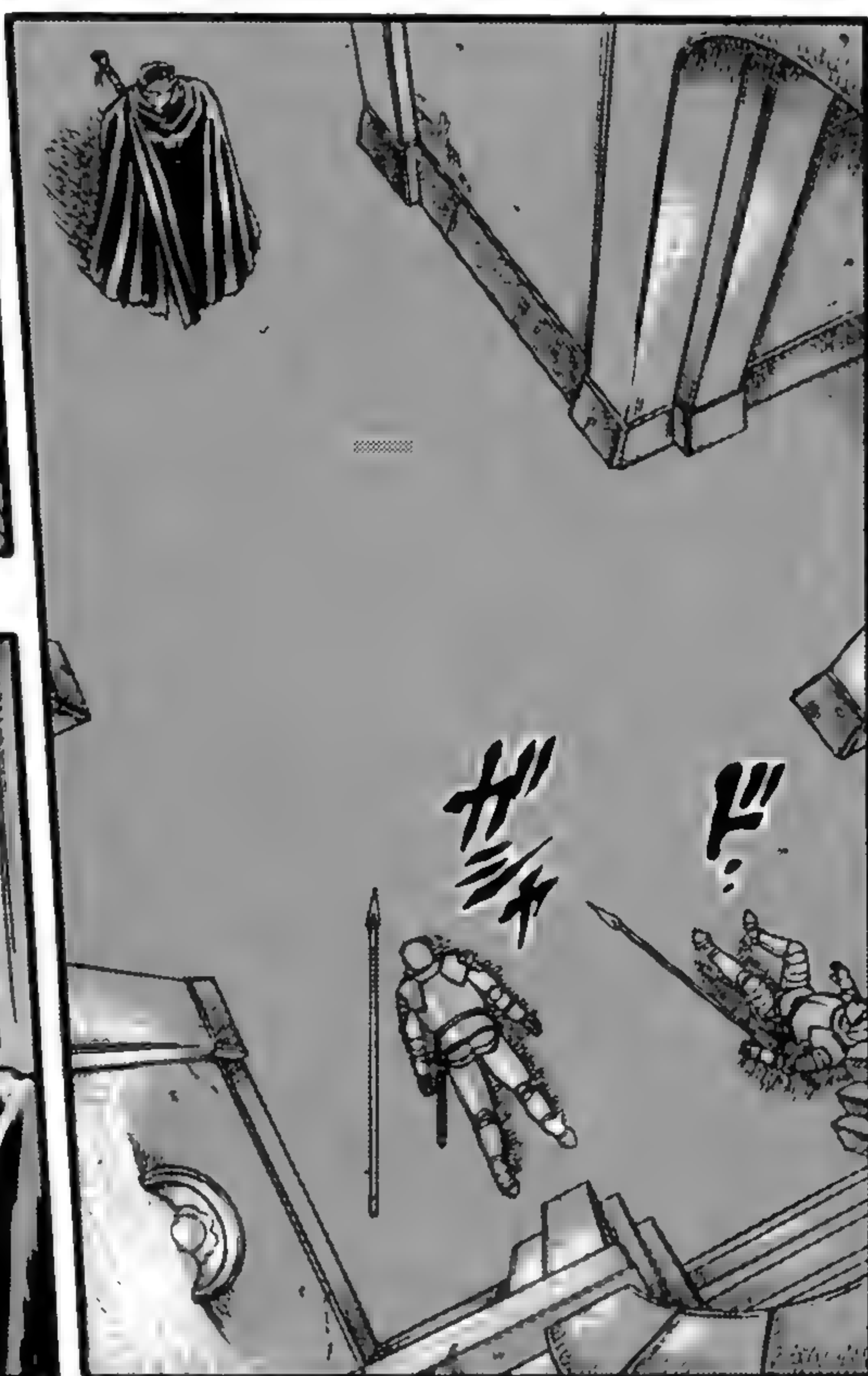
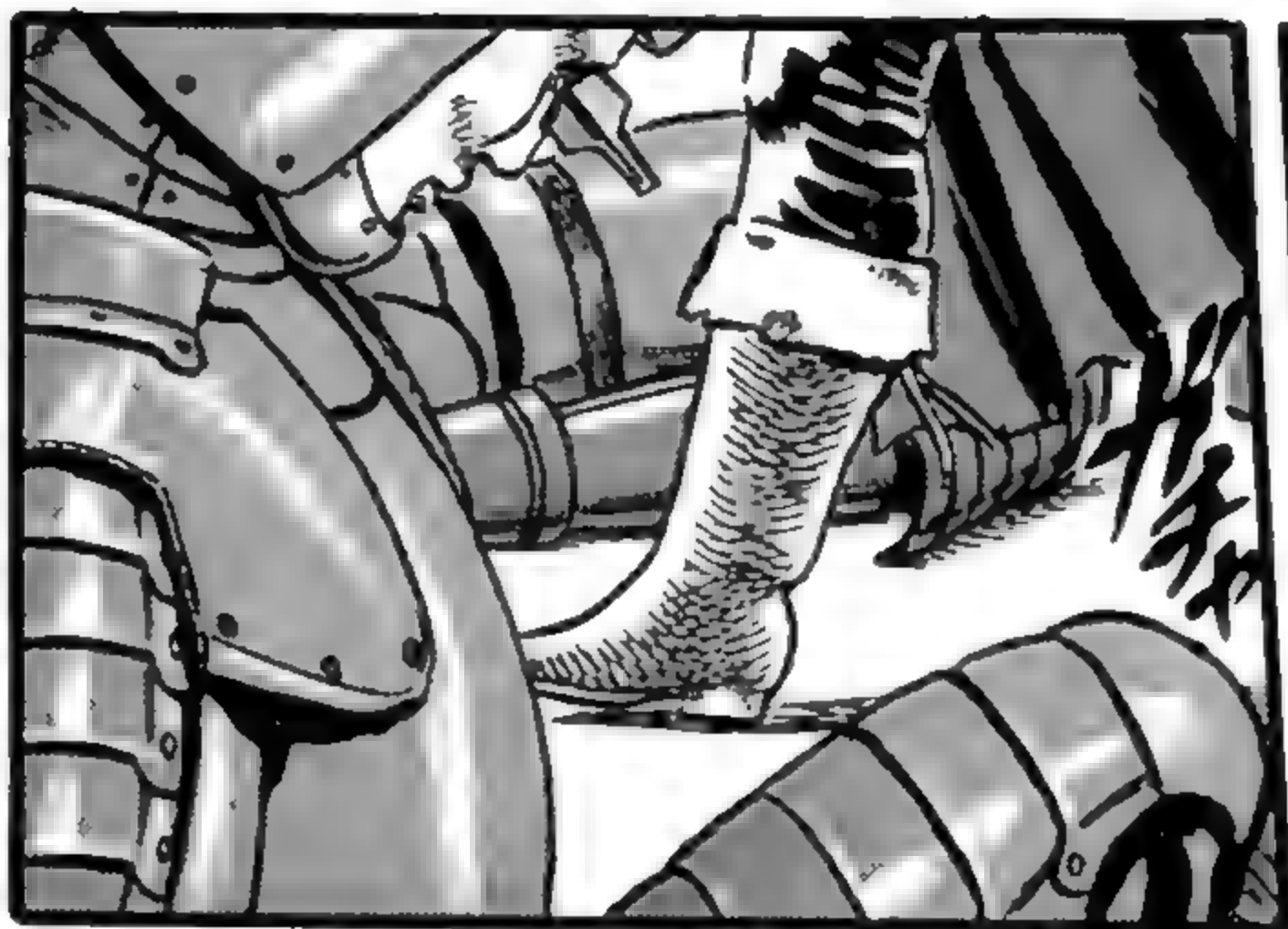
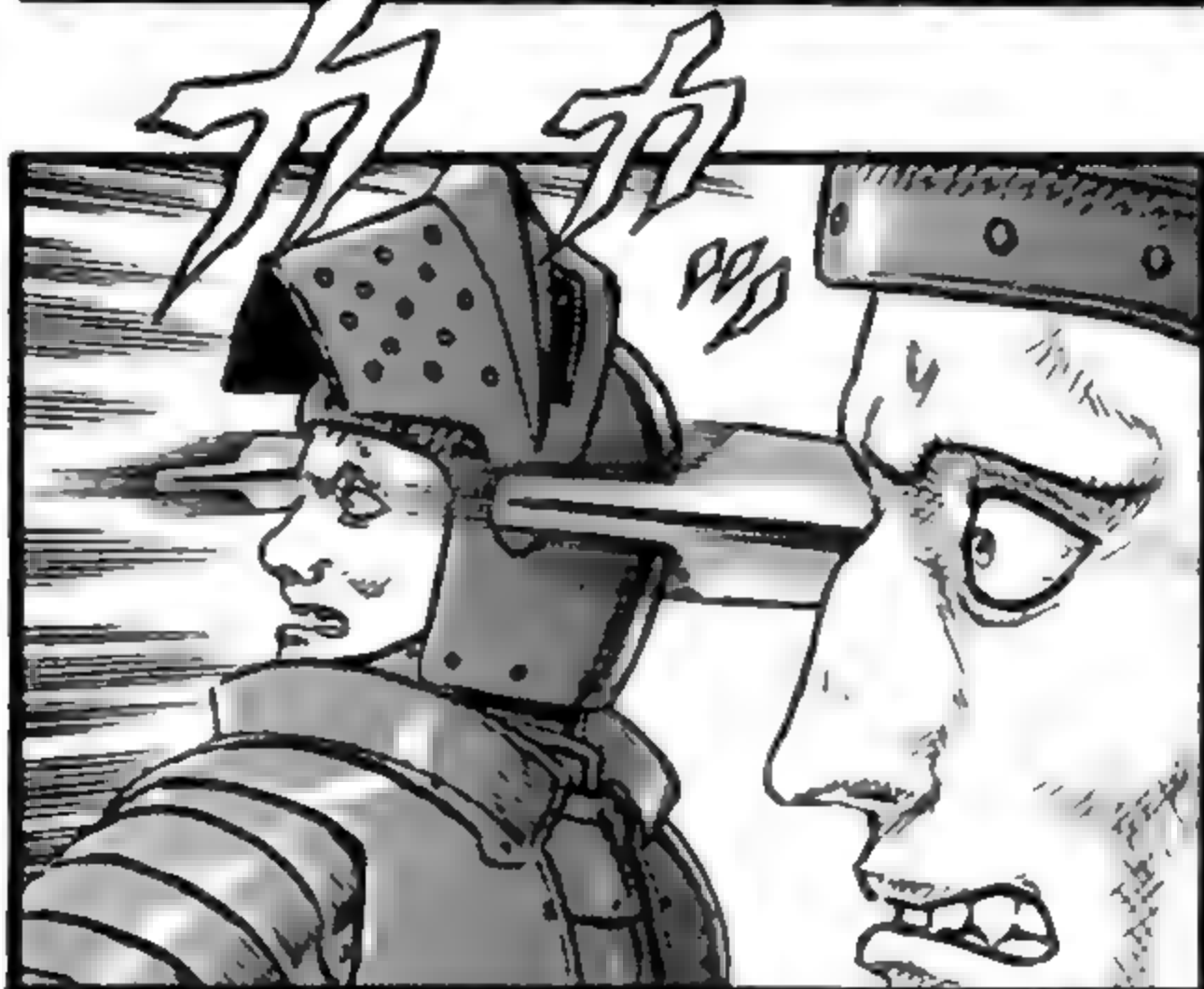




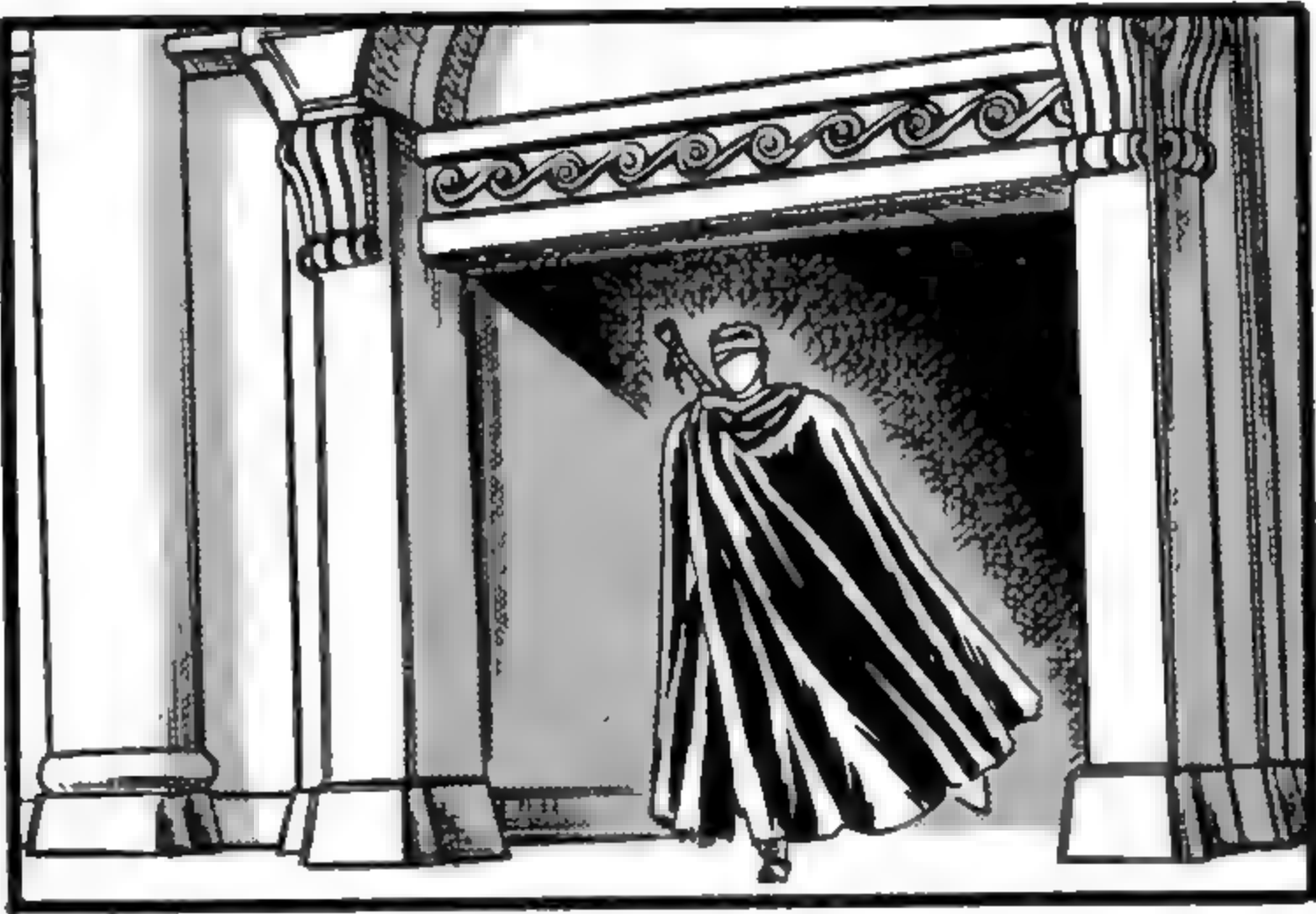




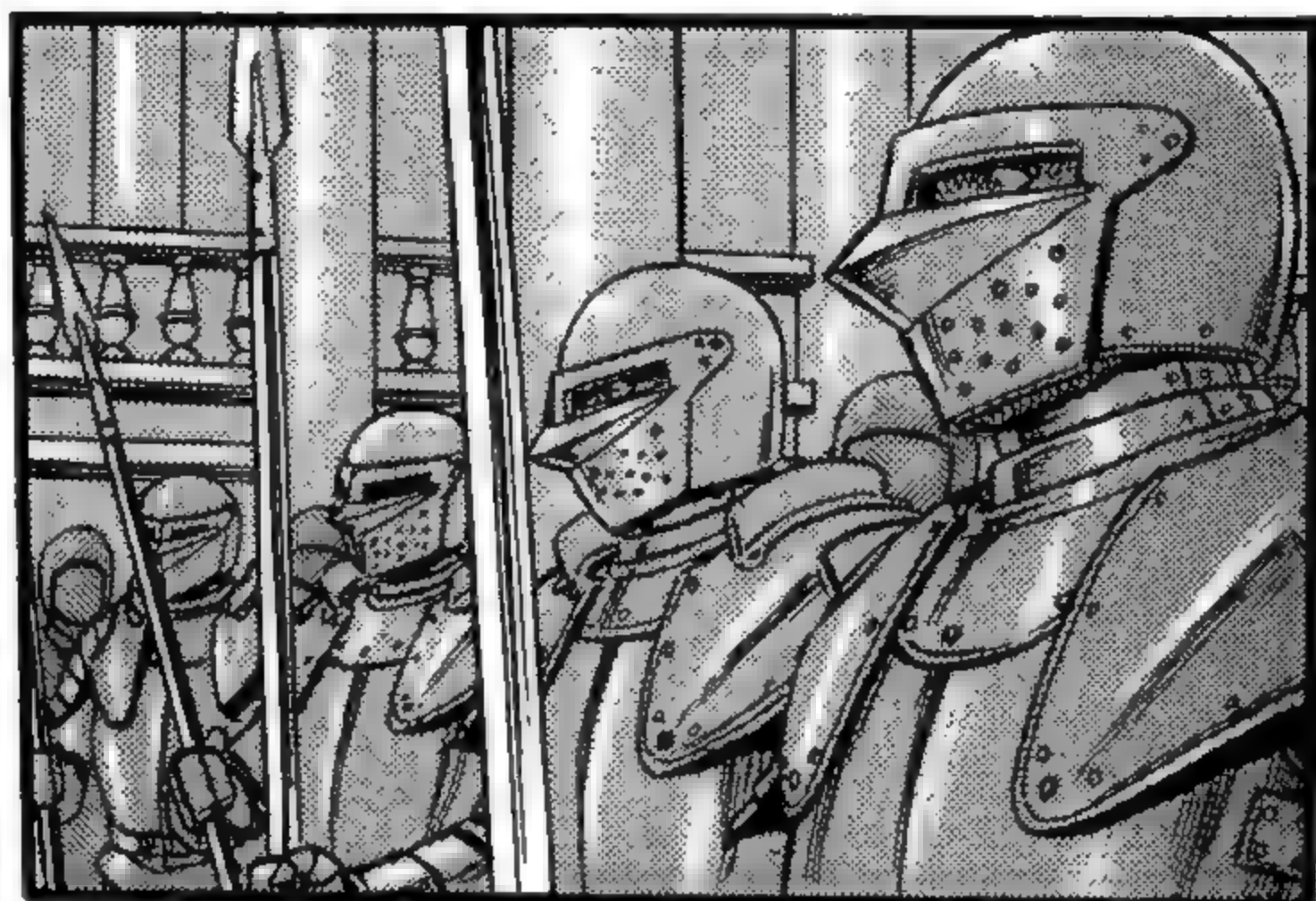
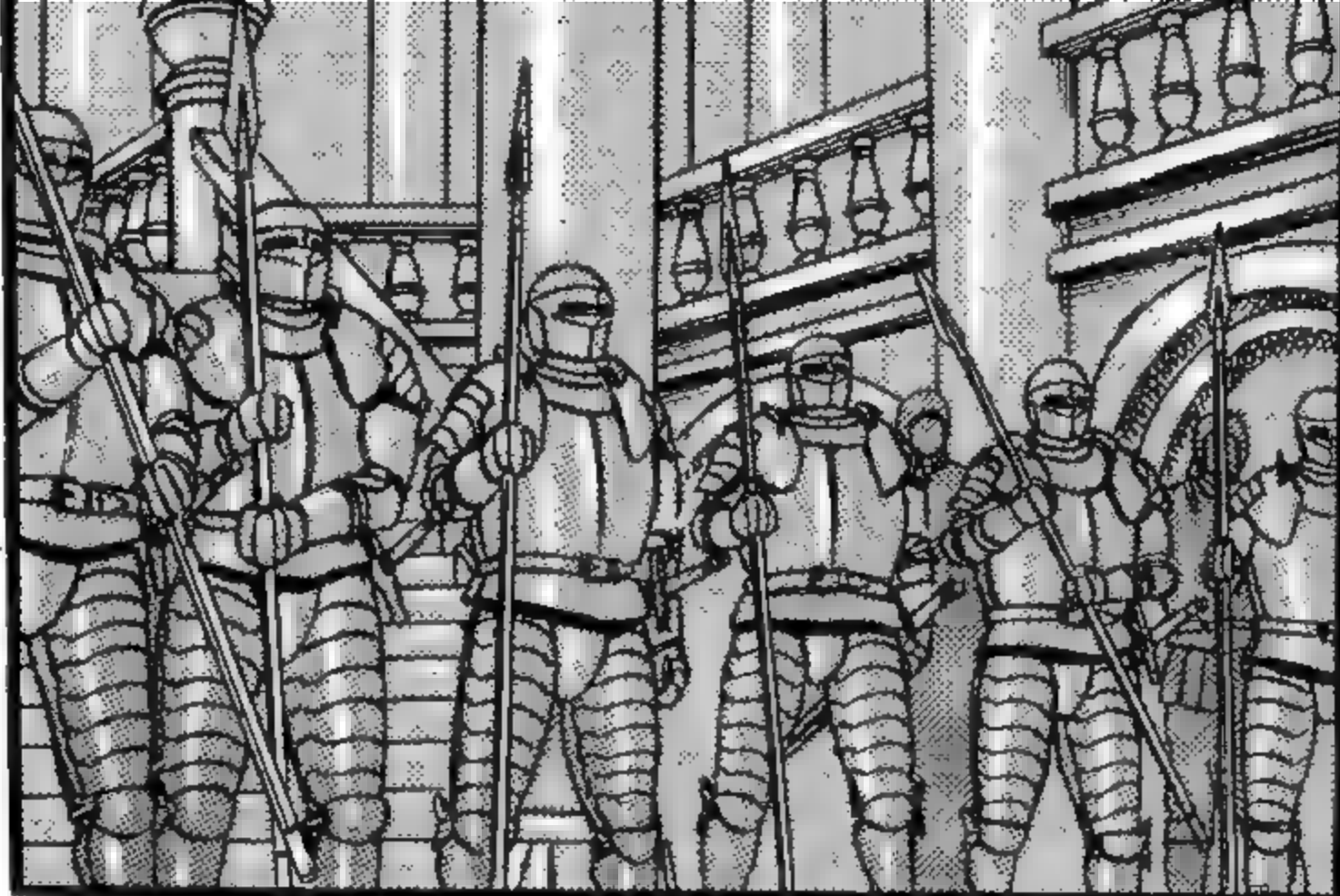












MOVE.



...OR I'LL HAVE YOU KILLED AT ONCE.







YOU'RE  
IN MY  
WAY!  
MOVE!



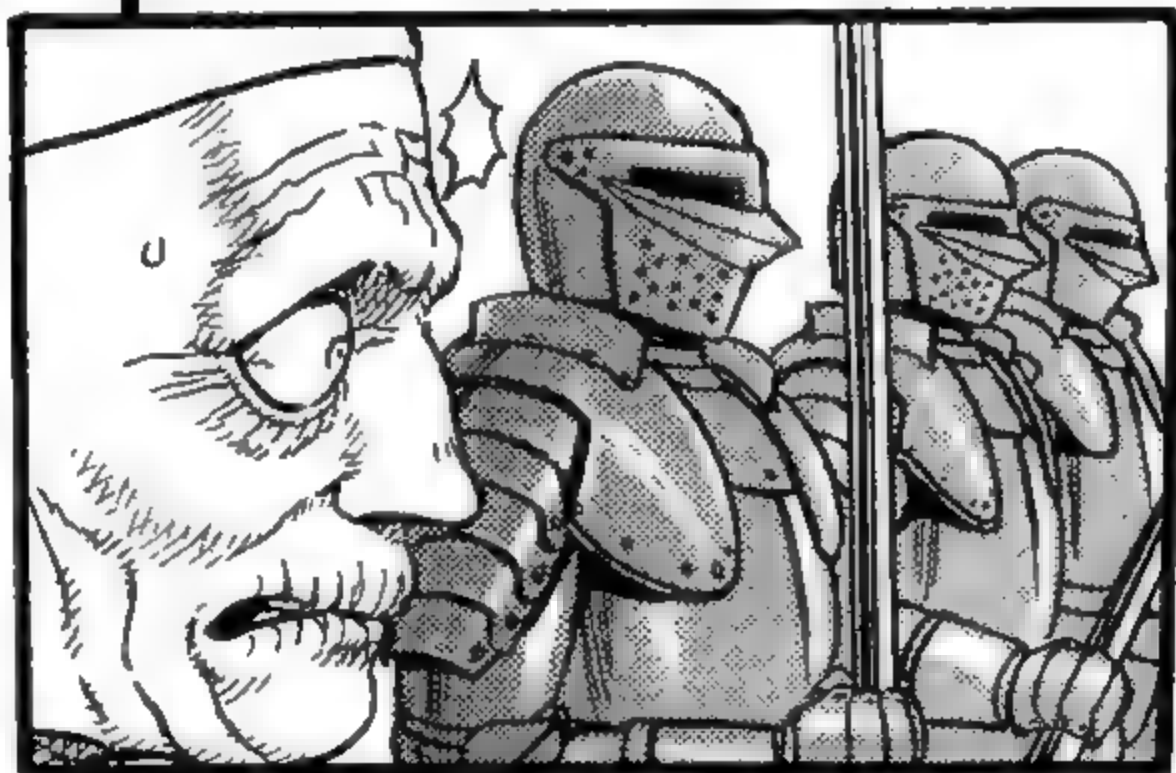
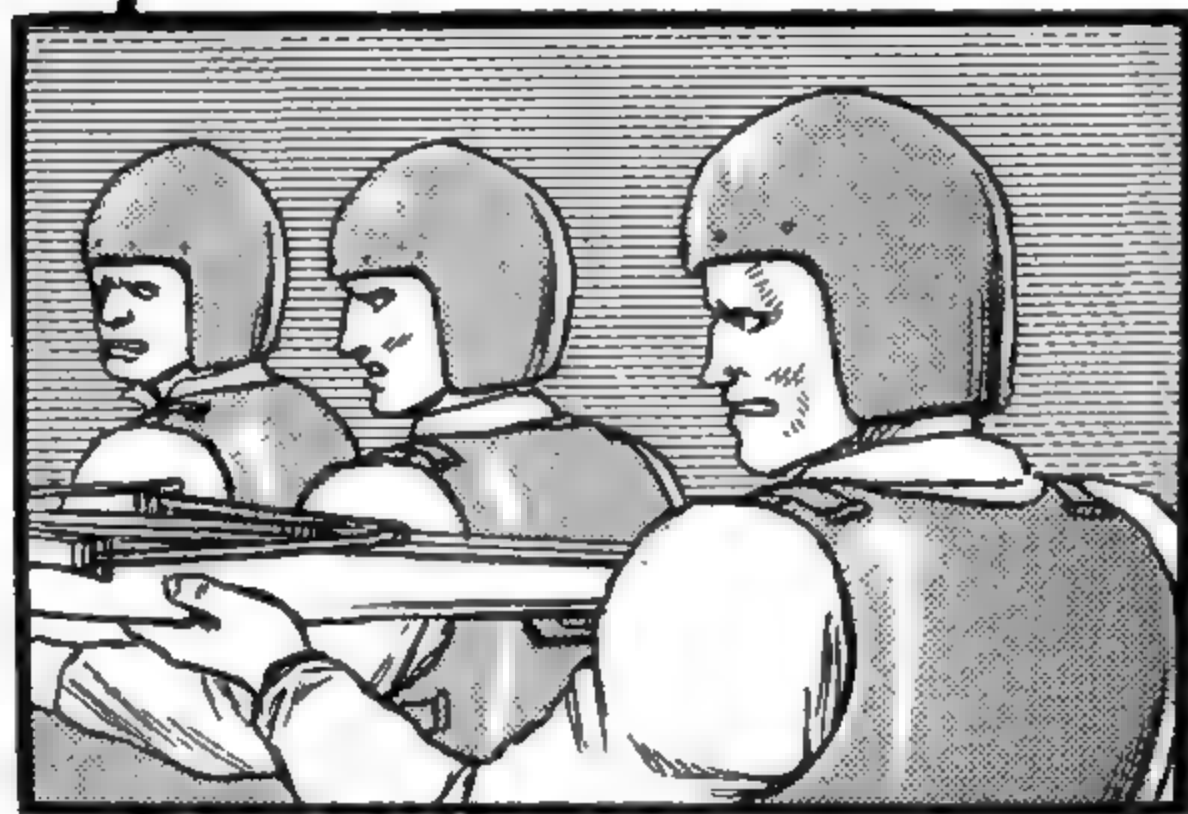
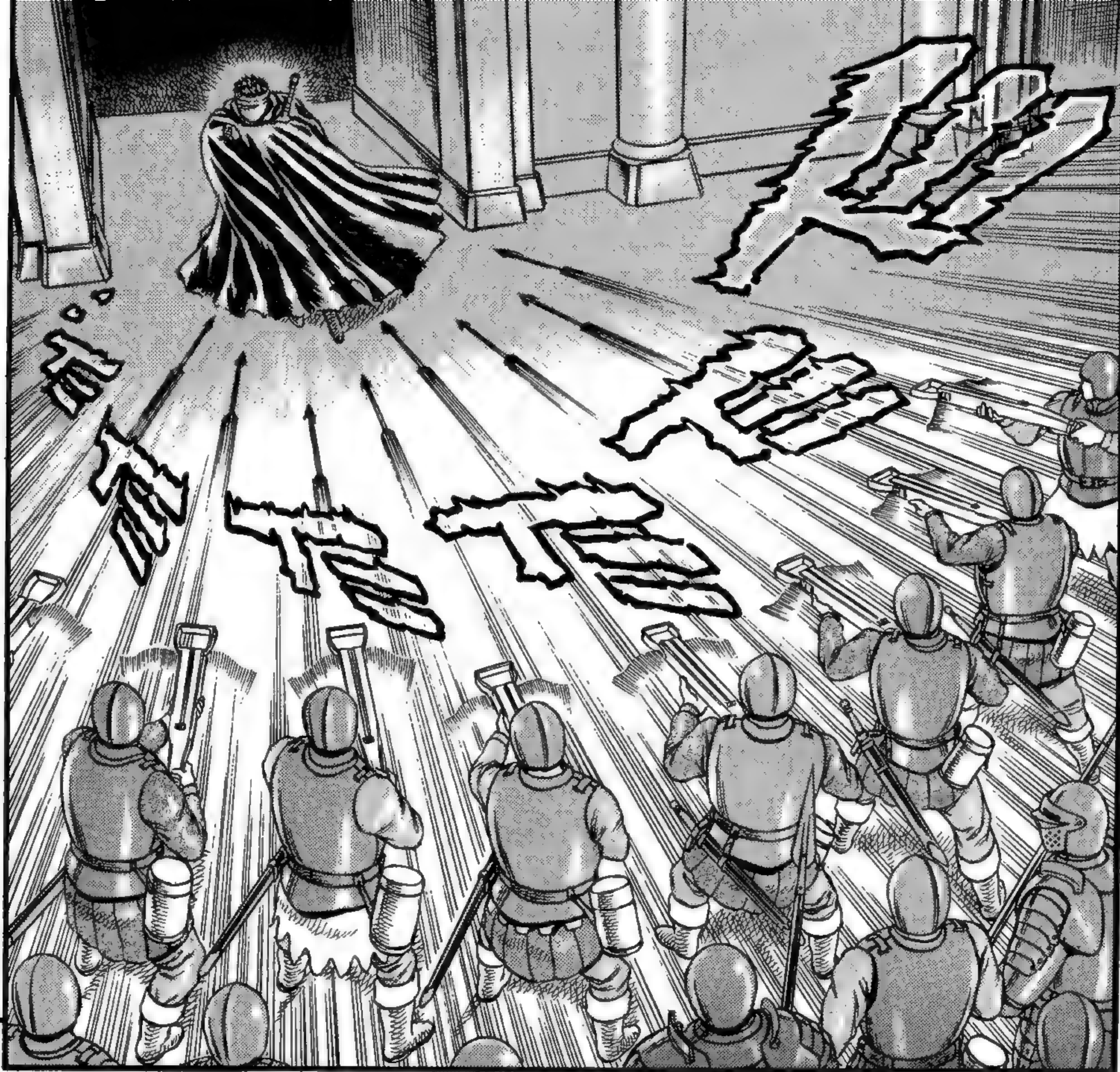
ARCHERS!



F-FOOL! YOU  
THINK YOU CAN  
TAKE ON FIFTY  
TROOPS  
YOURSELF?!



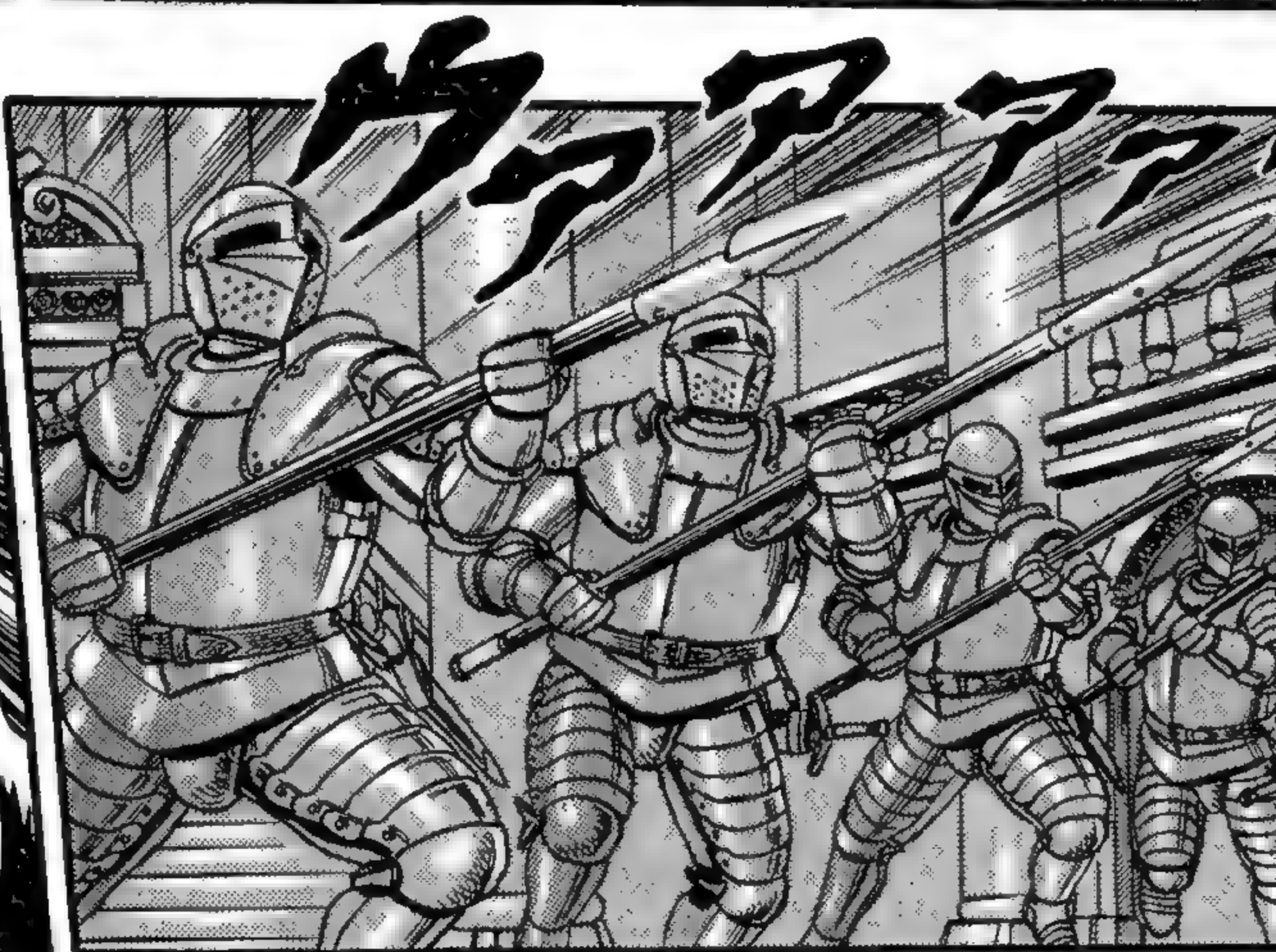














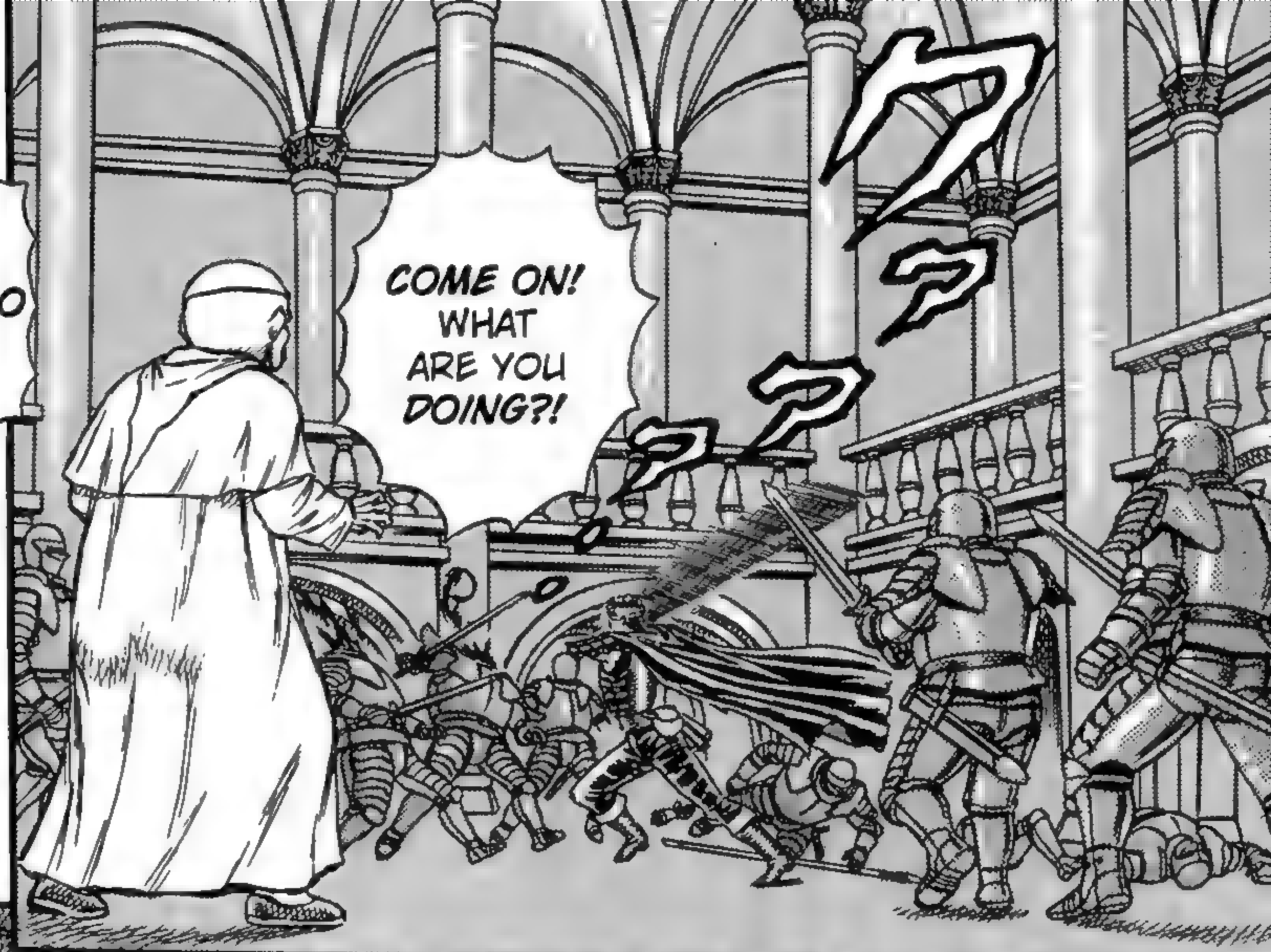




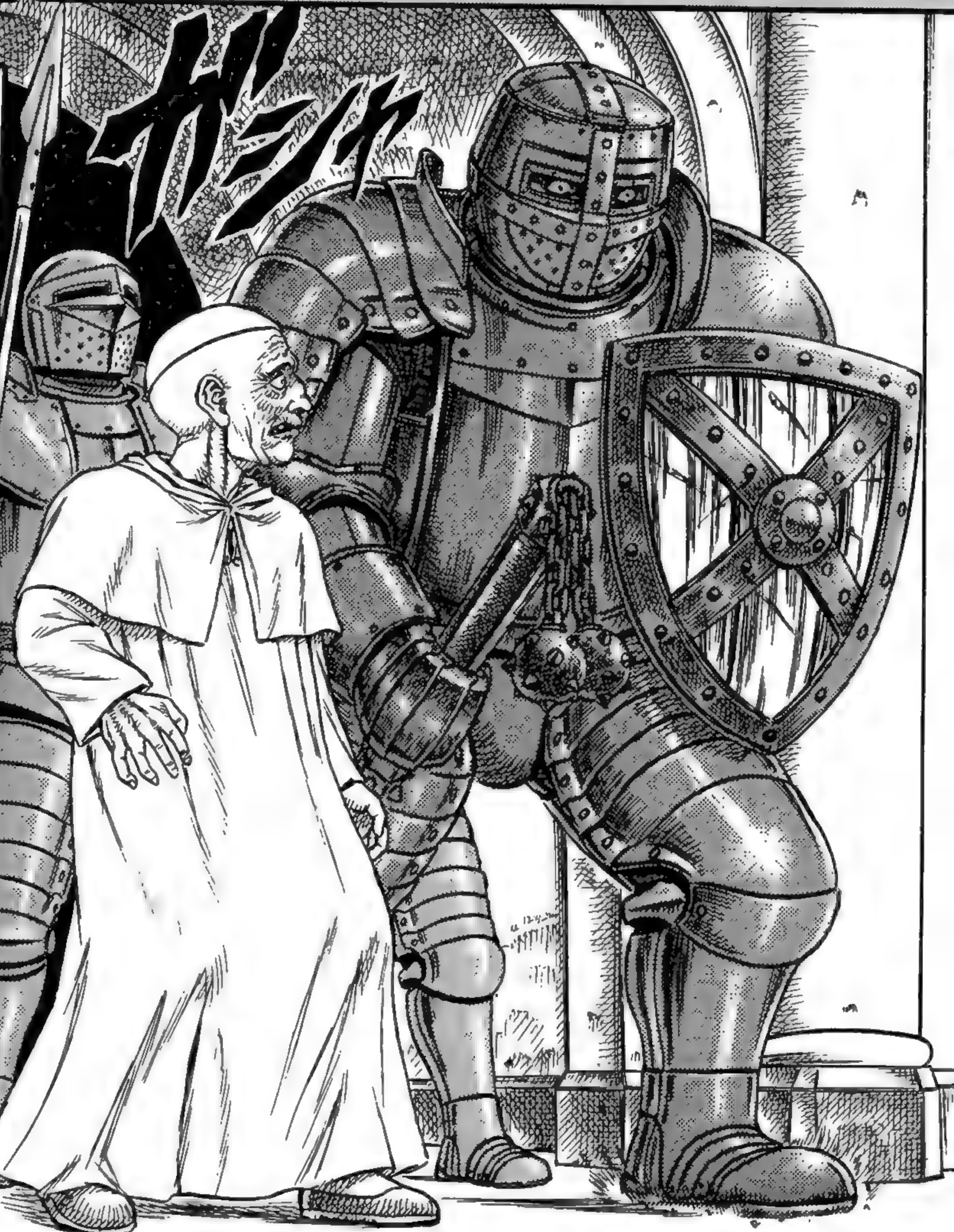
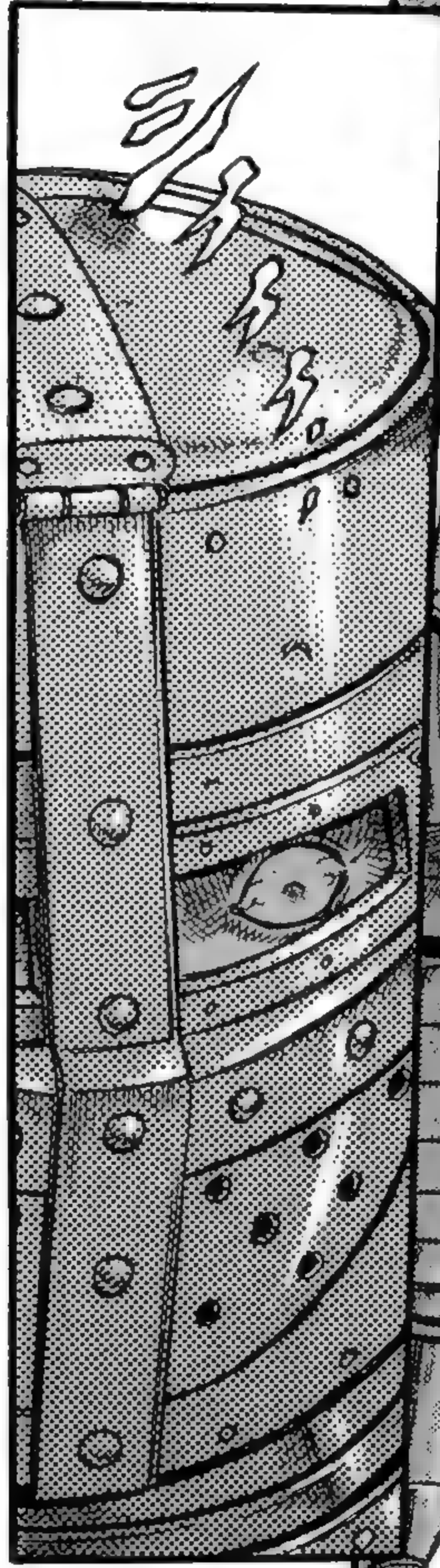


GERICO ...

GERICO!!



COME ON!  
WHAT  
ARE YOU  
DOING?!



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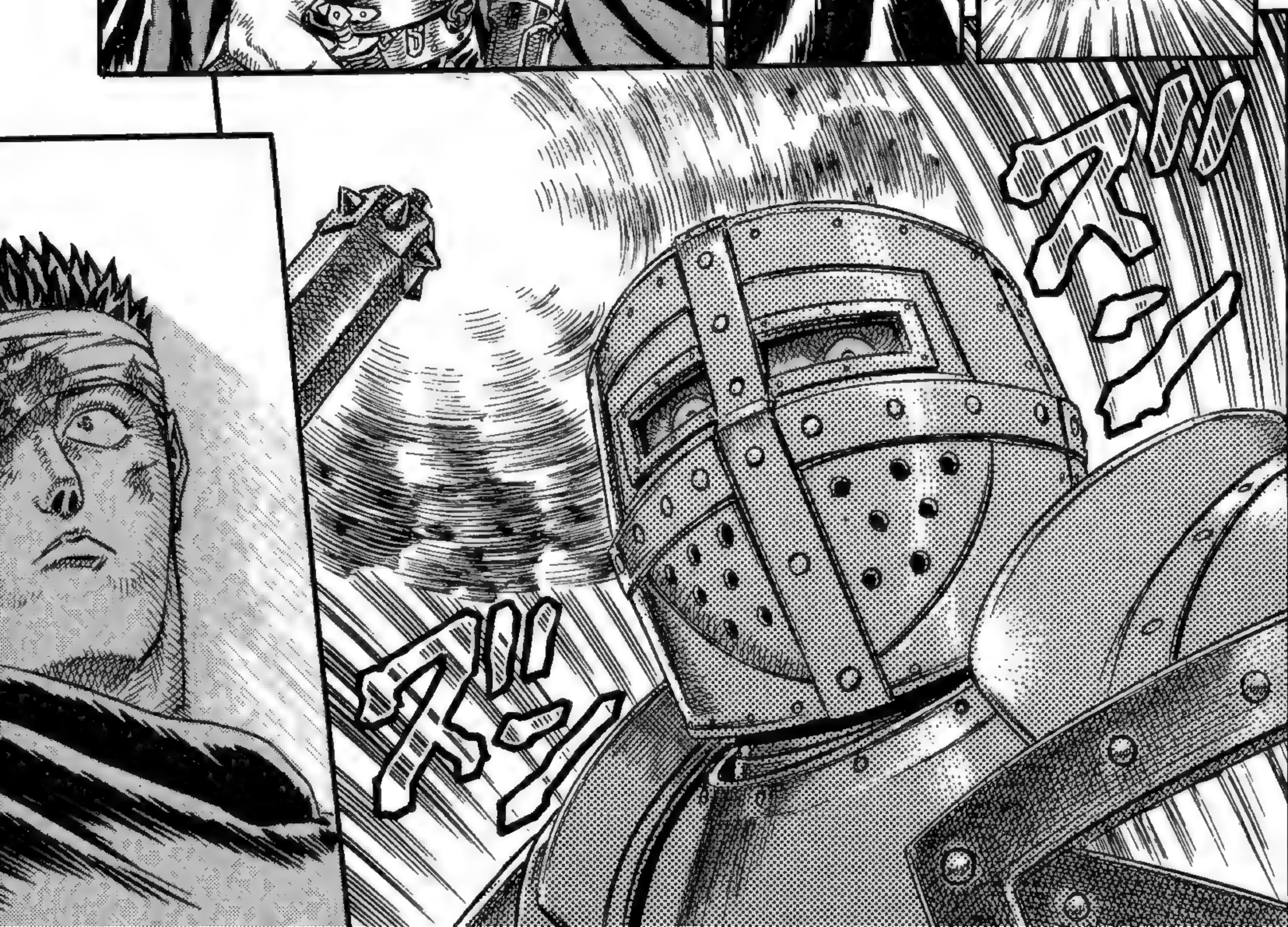




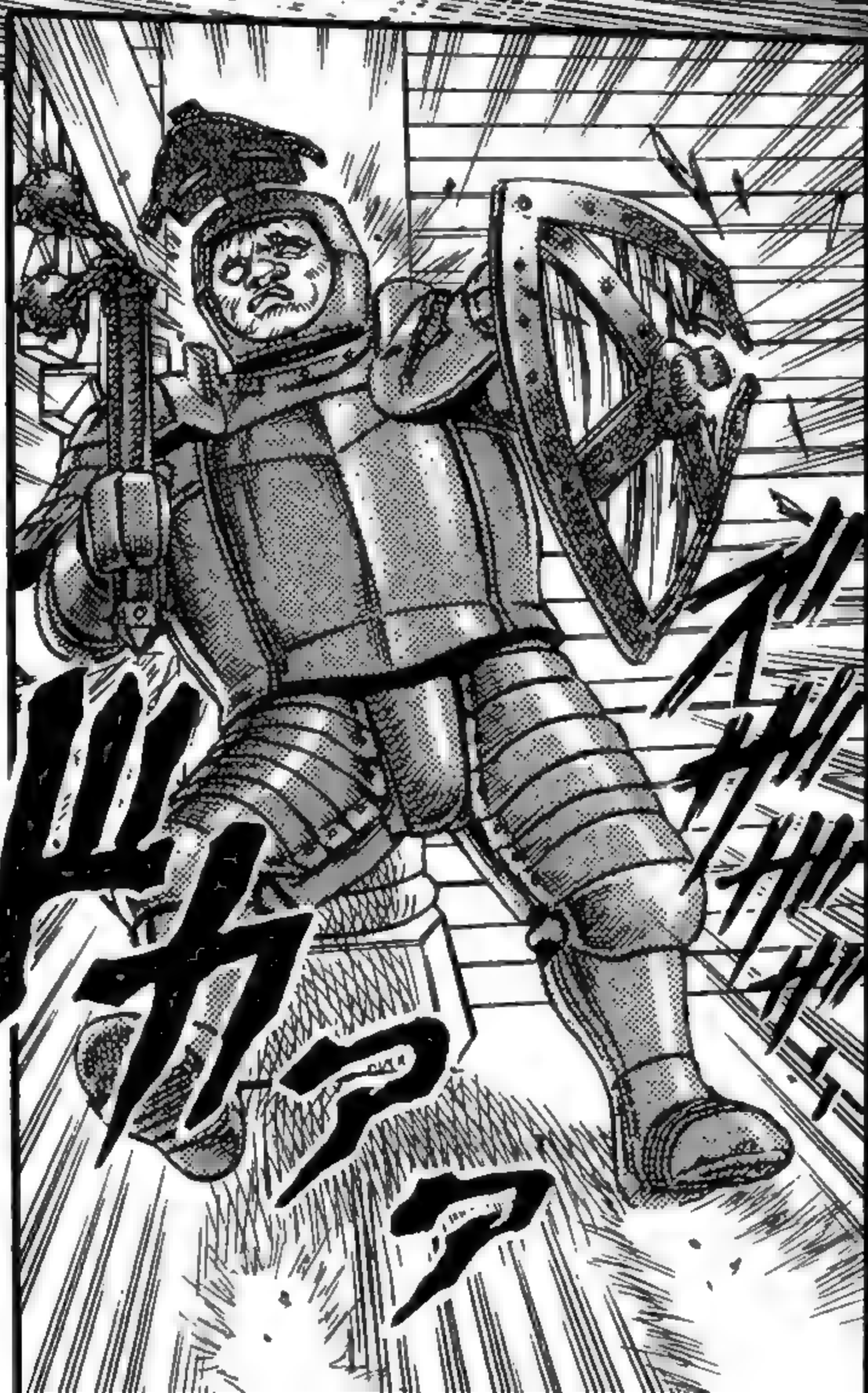
YOU ALWAYS  
BRAGGED  
ABOUT BEING  
**STRONGER**  
THAN  
ZONDARK!

**GET  
HIM!**

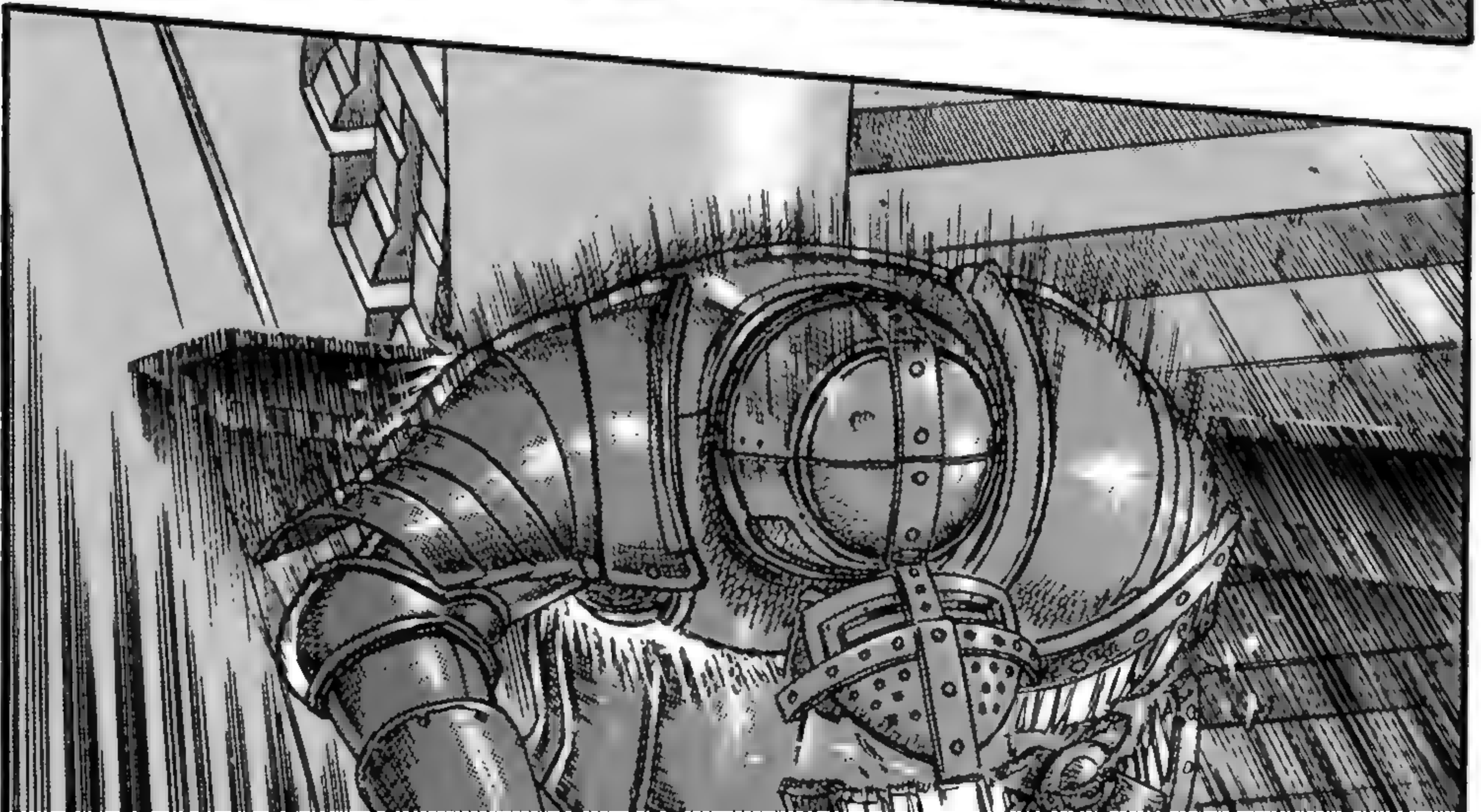
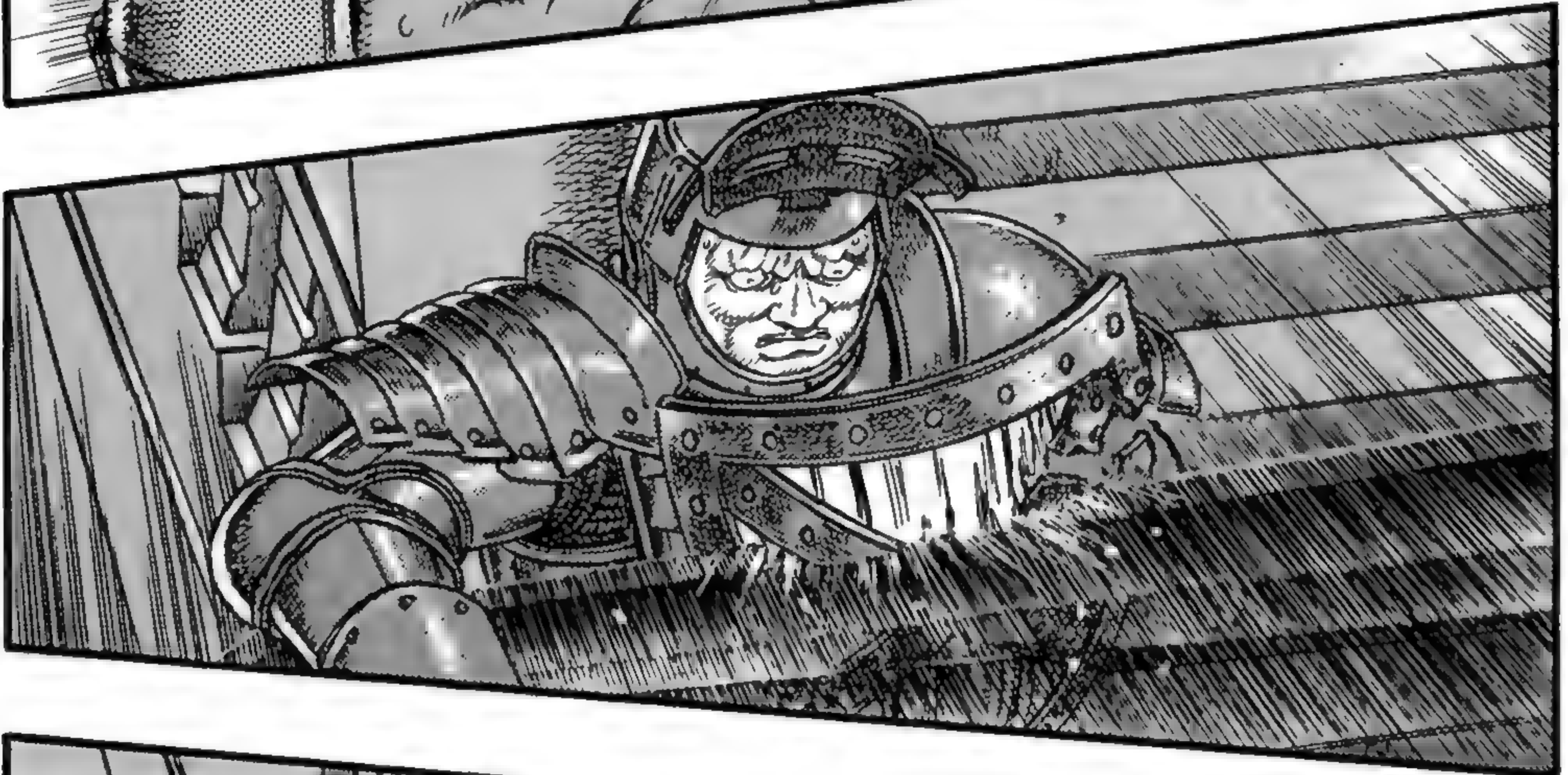
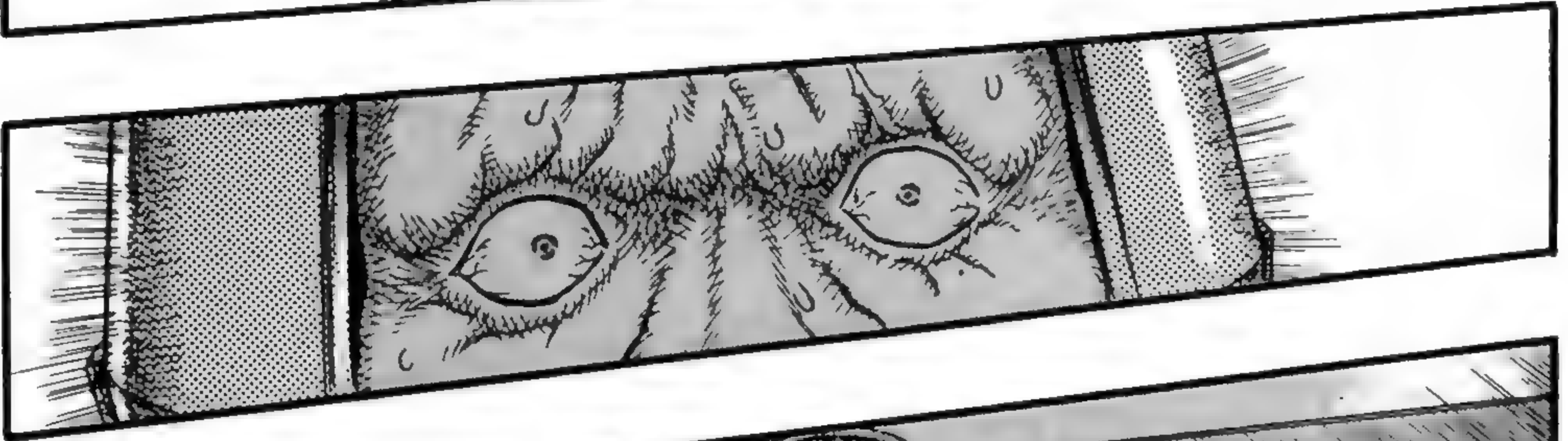
SHOW  
US  
YOUR  
STRENGTH  
NOW!







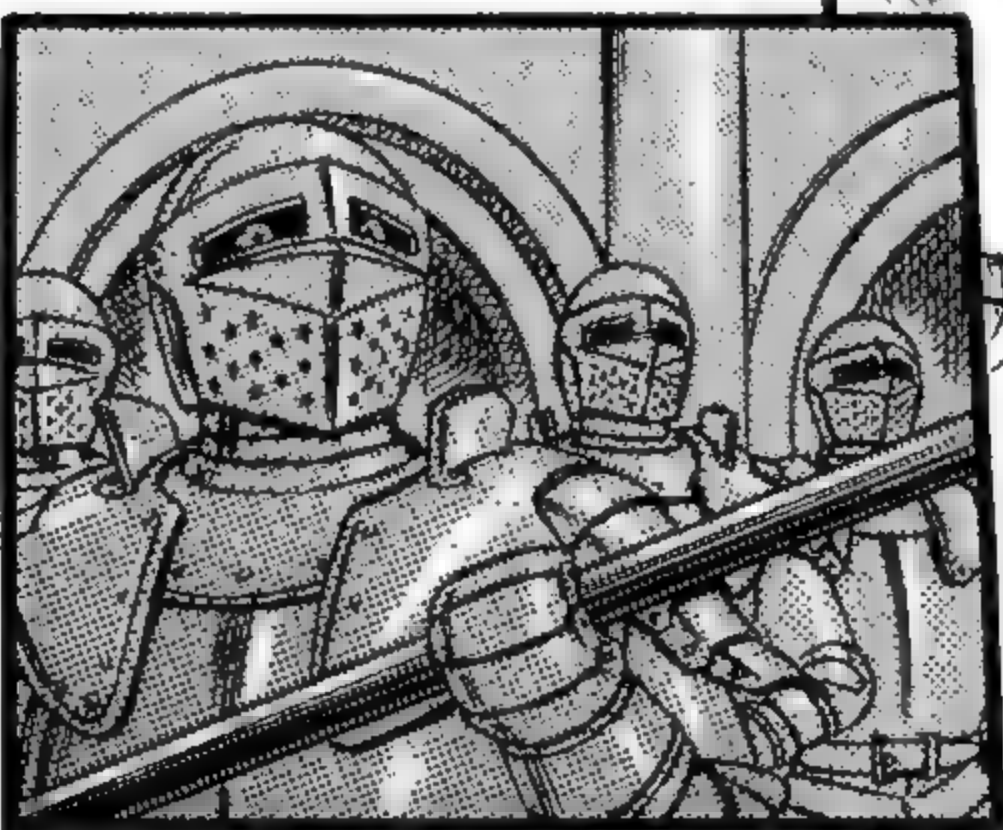
















W-WAIT!  
WHERE DO YOU  
THINK YOU'RE  
GOING,  
FOOLS?!



COME  
BACK!

I'M  
WARN-  
ING  
YOU!

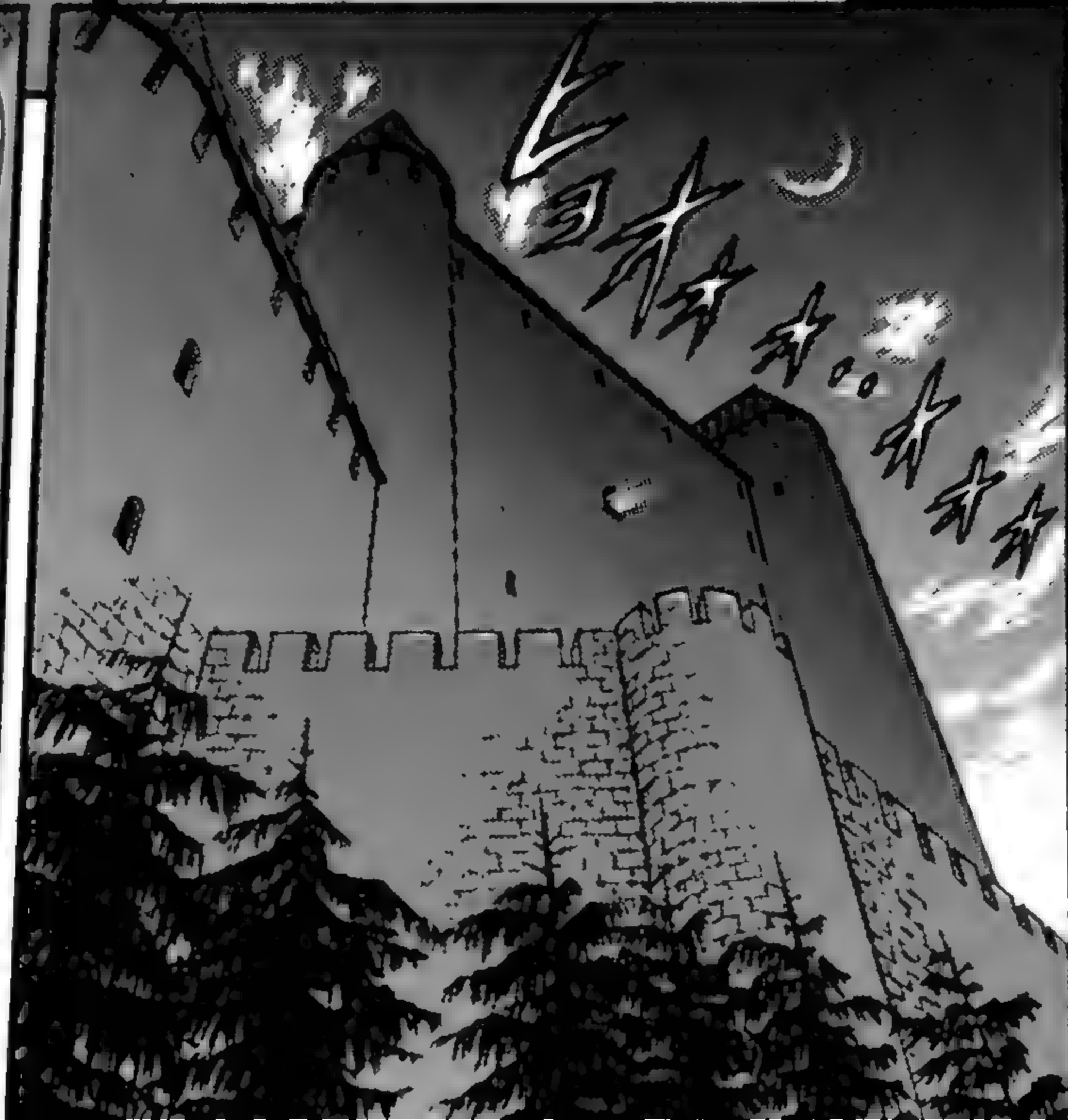
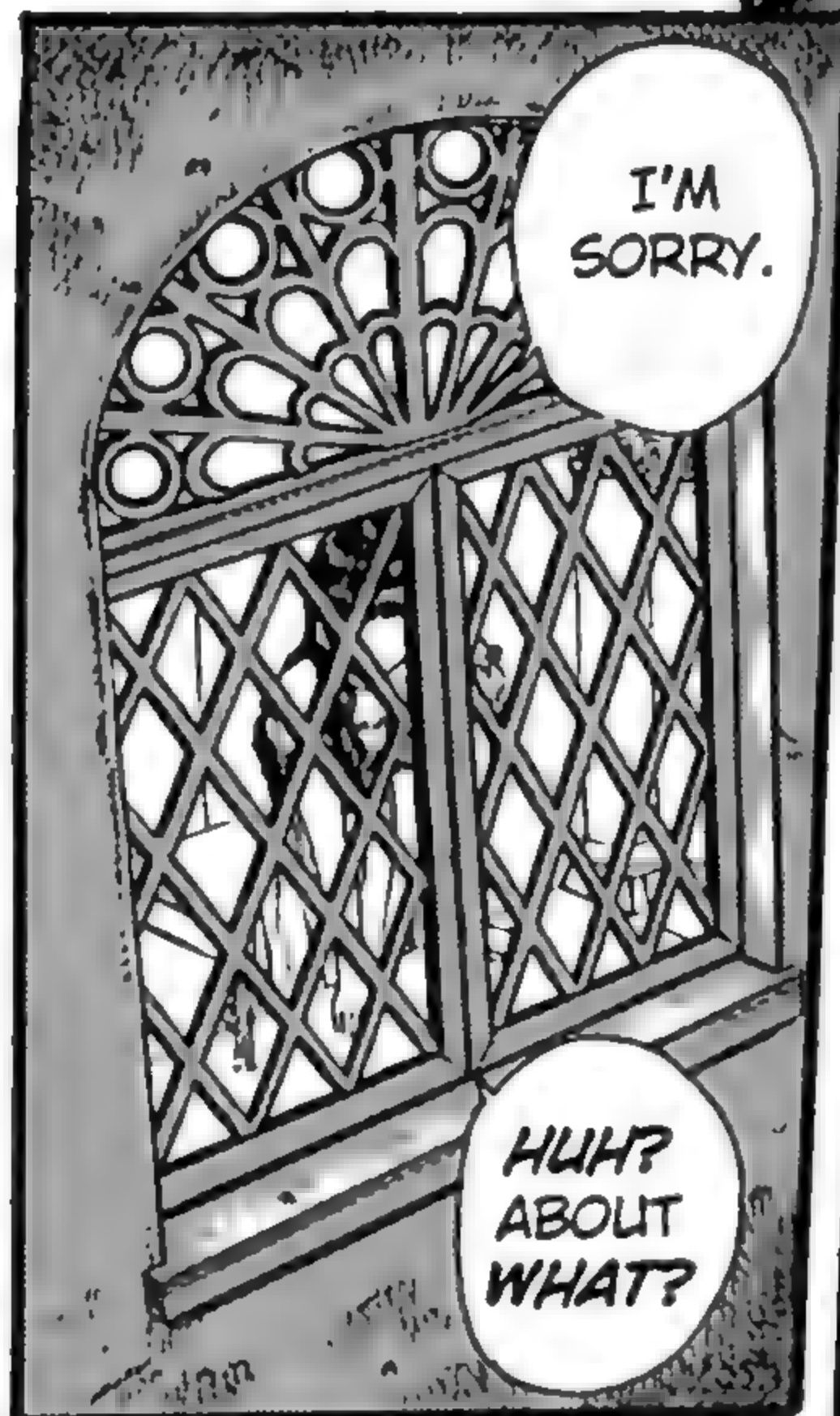


-AAGH!-



!!!









NO PROBLEM!  
I'LL LEND YOU  
MY **SHOULDER!**

I  
COULDN'T STOP  
MYSELF FROM  
CRYING, IT'S  
BEEN SO LONG  
SINCE I'VE  
**TALKED** TO  
ANYONE.



...TO  
FLY?

WHAT  
DOES  
IT  
FEEL  
LIKE...



HEE  
HEE...



...YOU  
FLY,  
DON'T  
YOU?

TELL  
ME,  
PUCK  
...

EH?



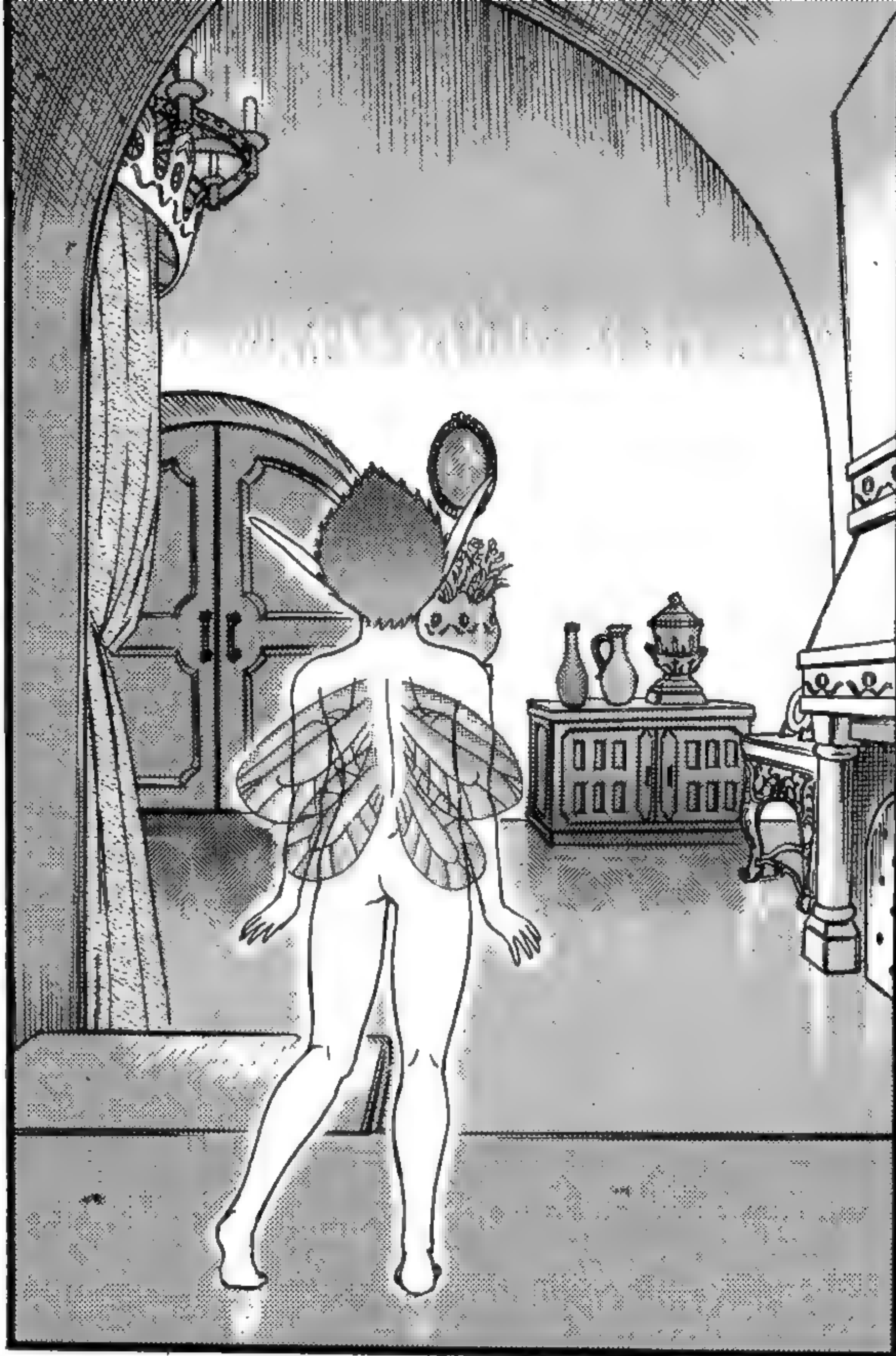
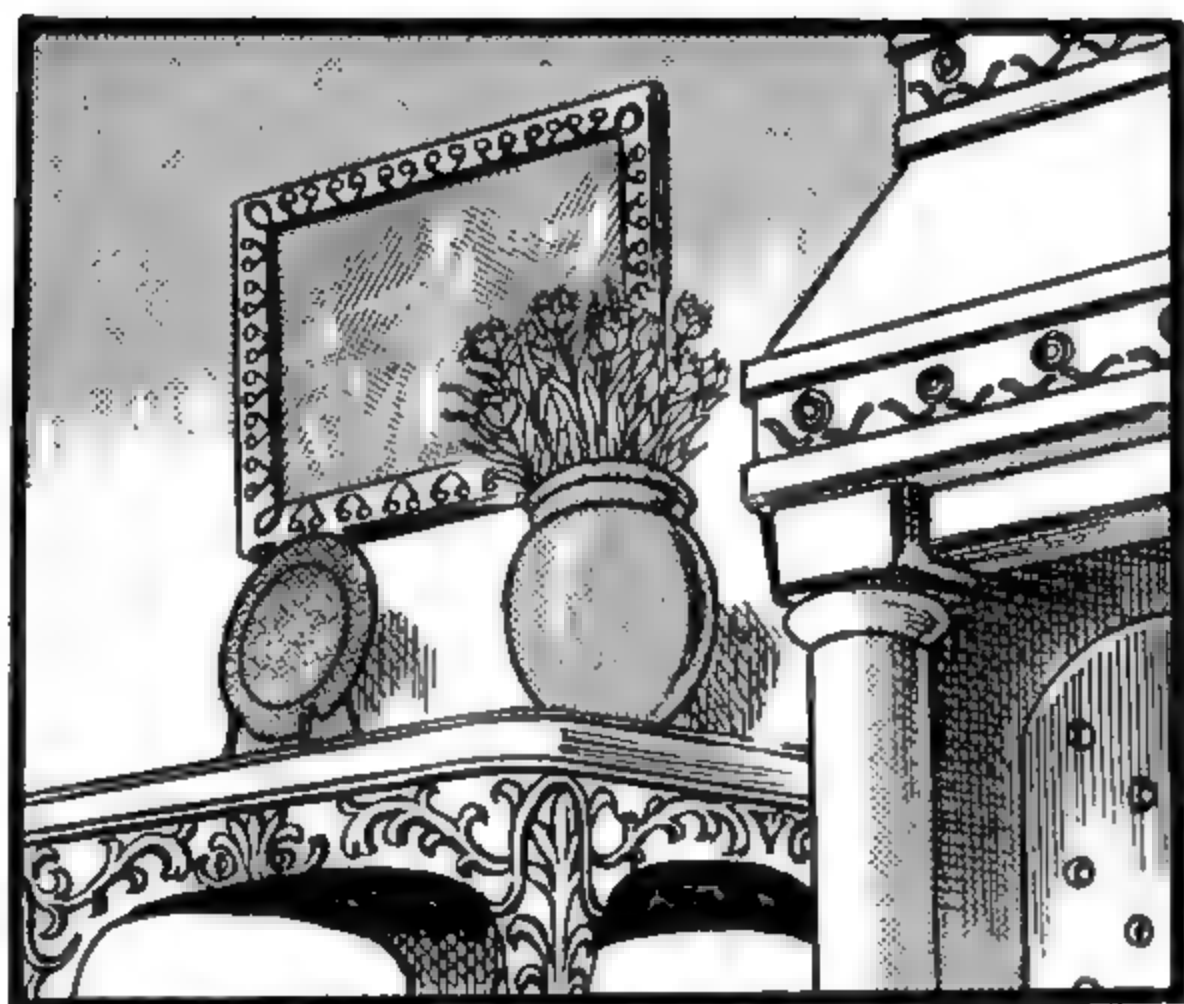
DO  
YOU  
HAVE  
A  
NAME?

THE  
NAME'S  
**PUCK!**

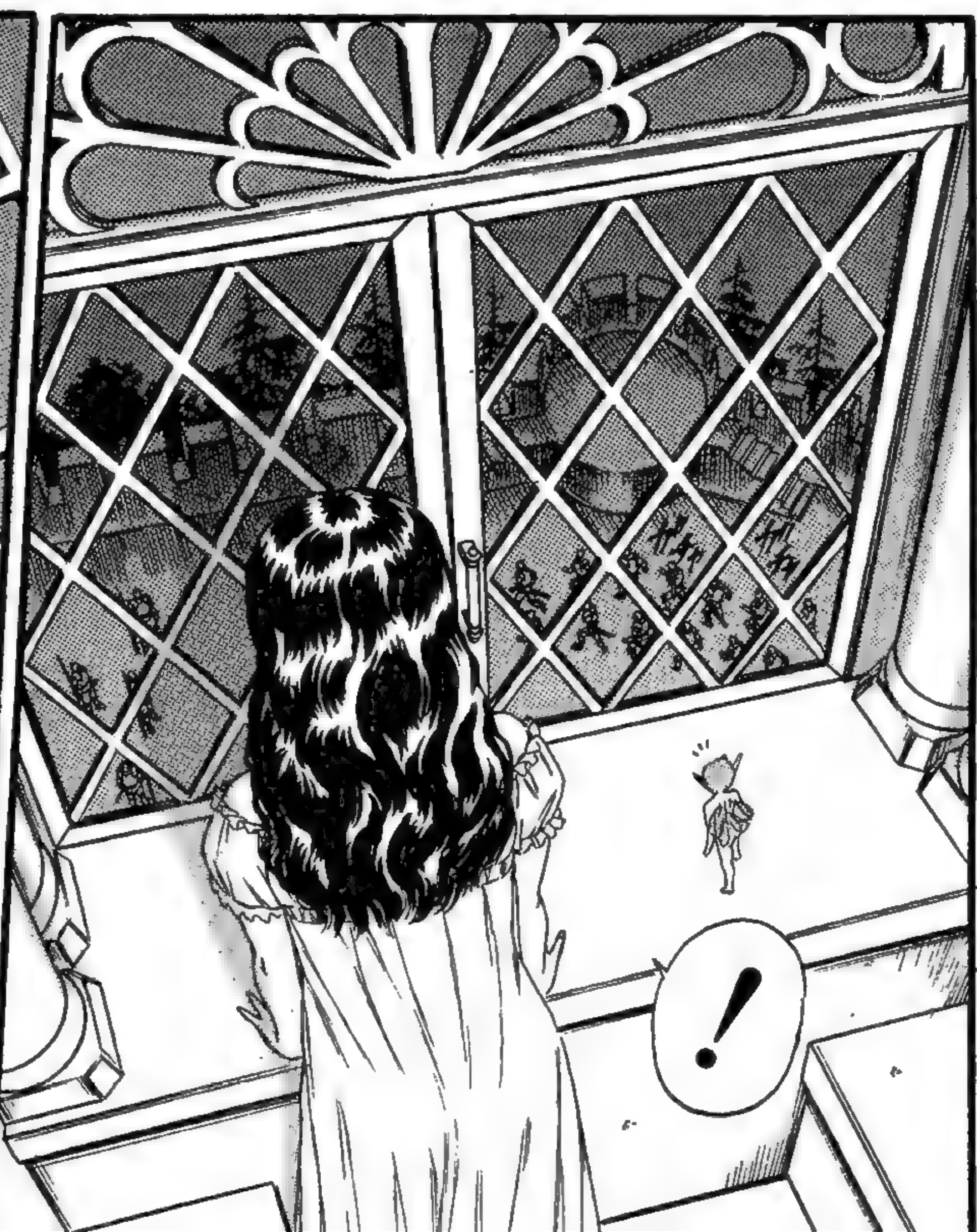
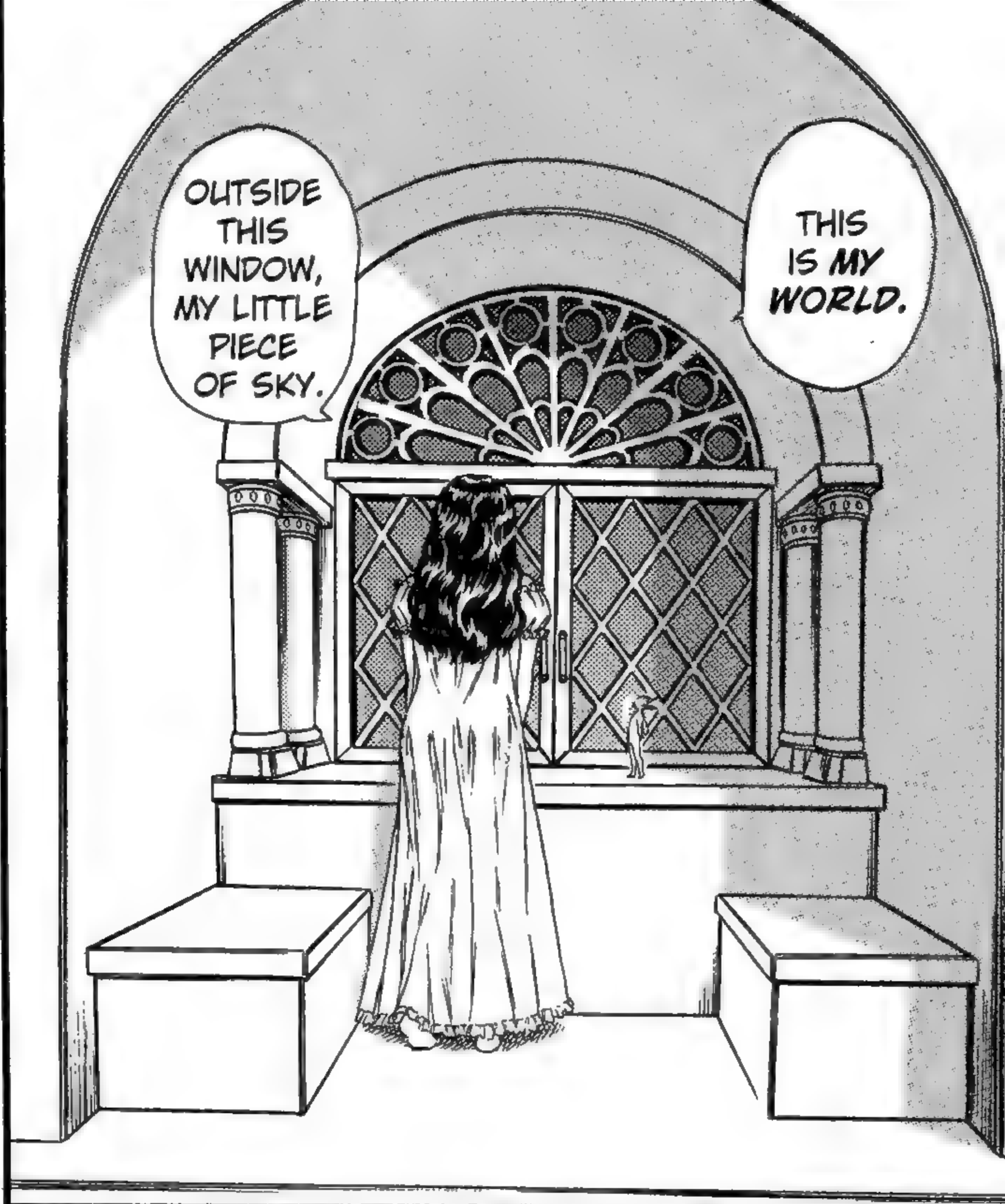










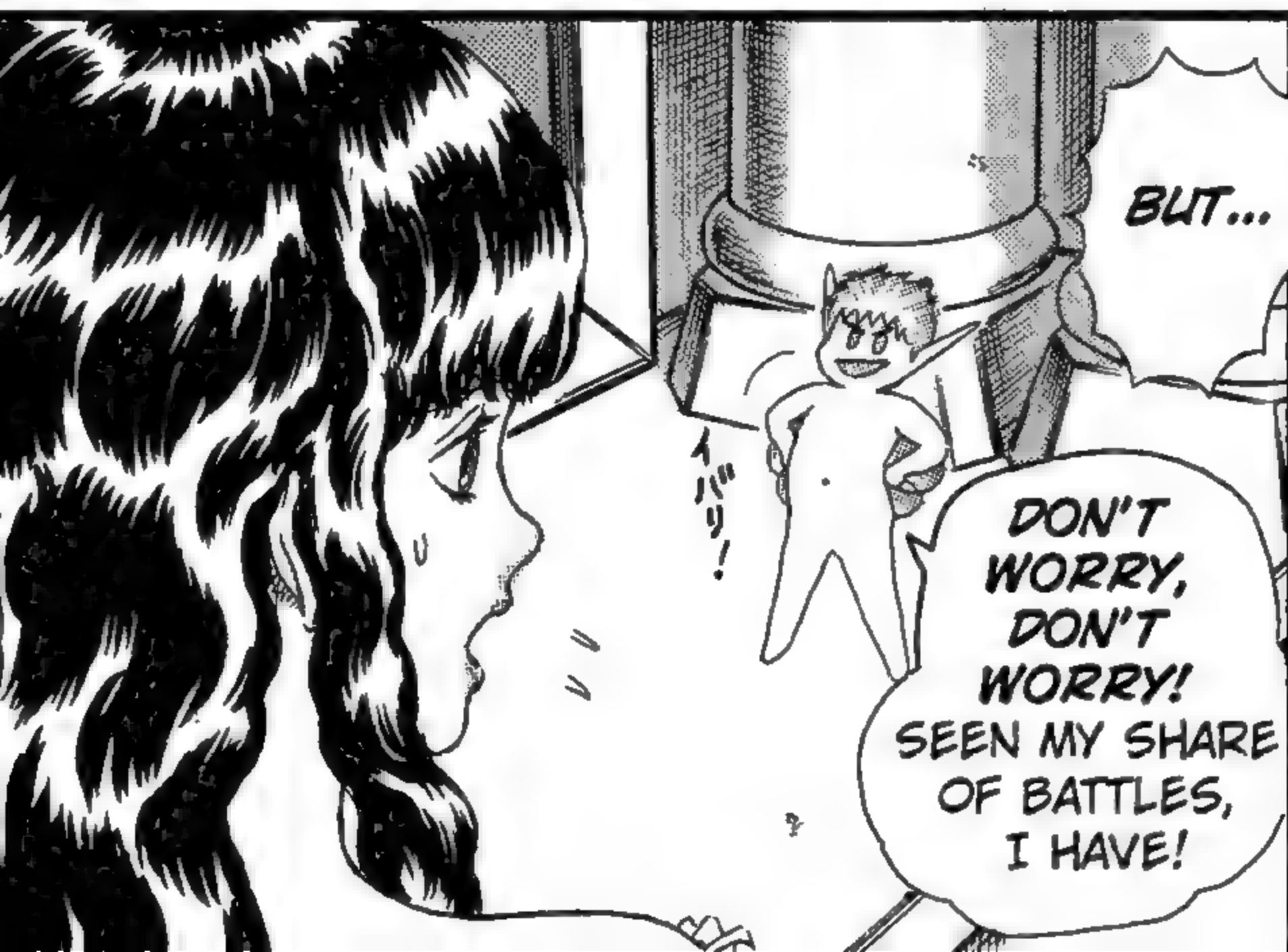






IT'S A  
**BURGLAR!**  
AN **INTRUDER**  
IN THE **INNER**  
COMPOUND!

WHAT  
IS IT?!



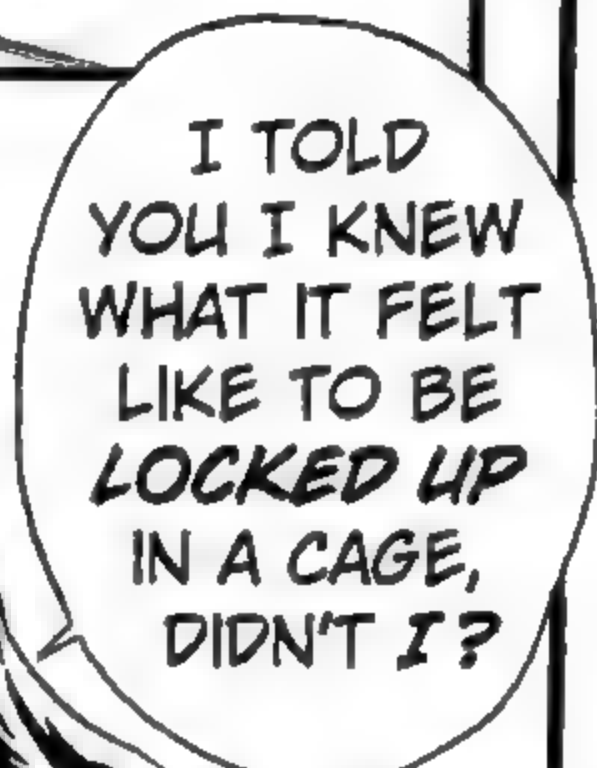
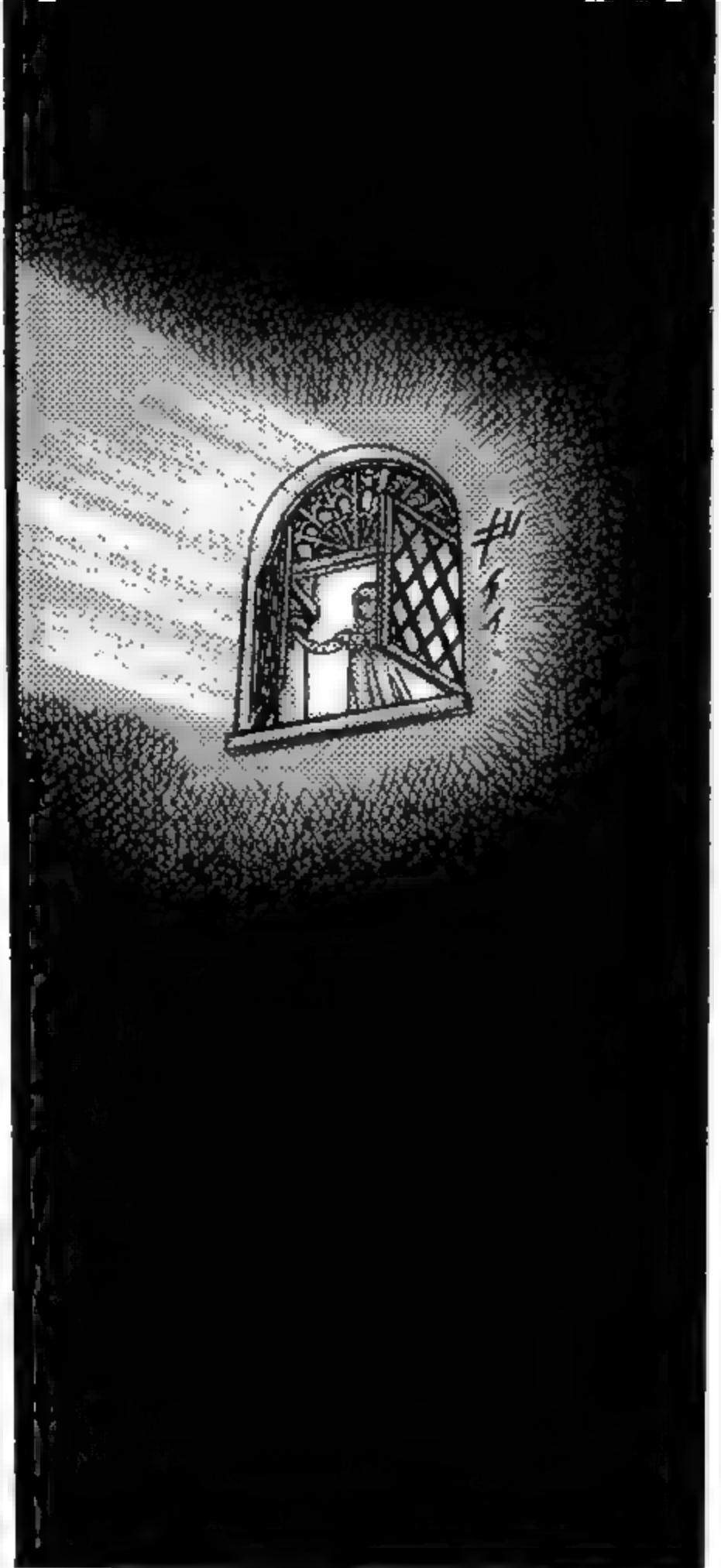




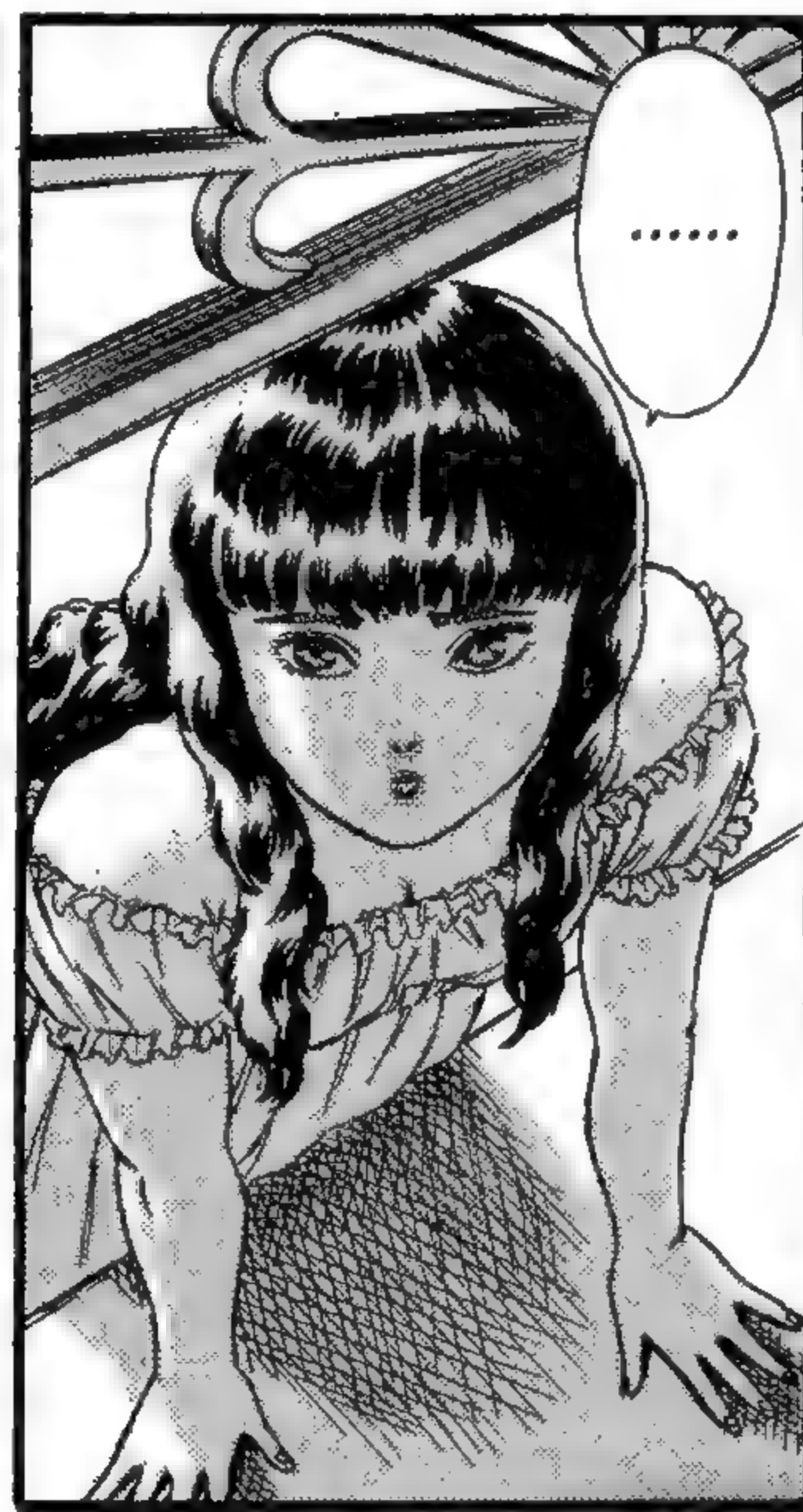
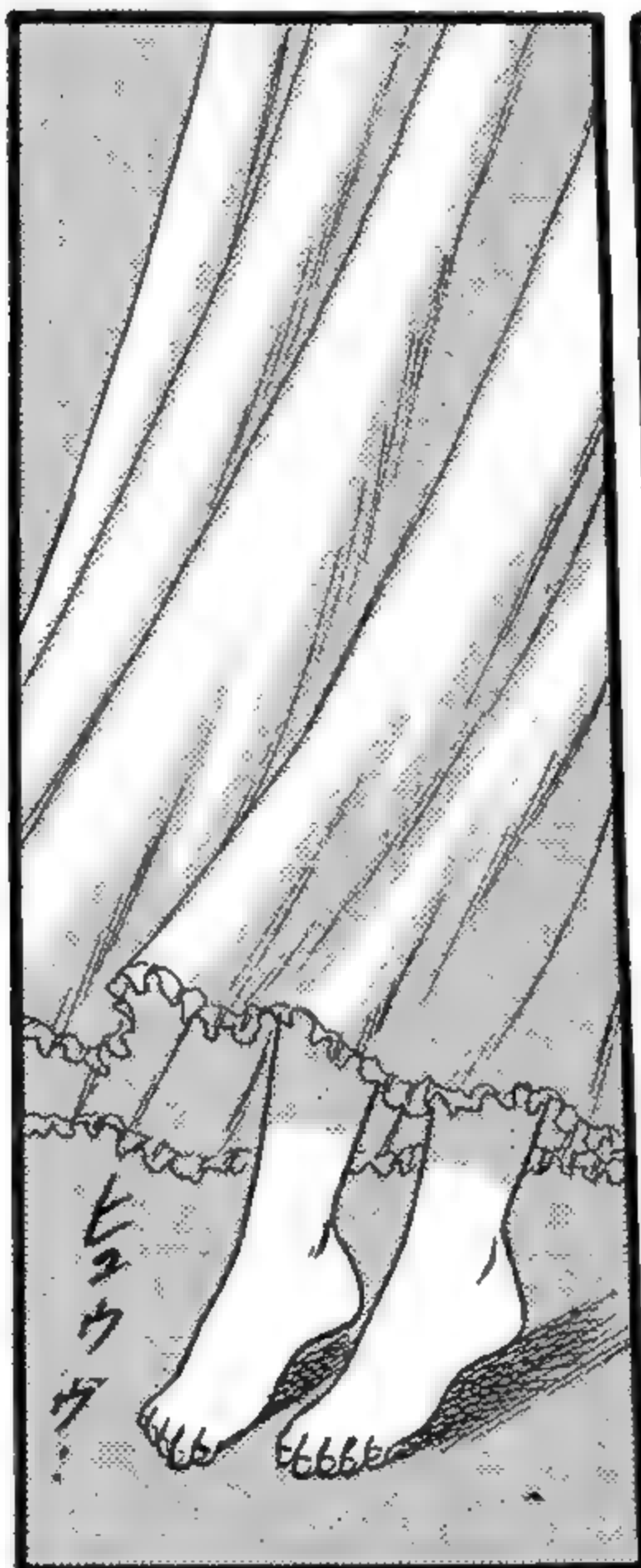
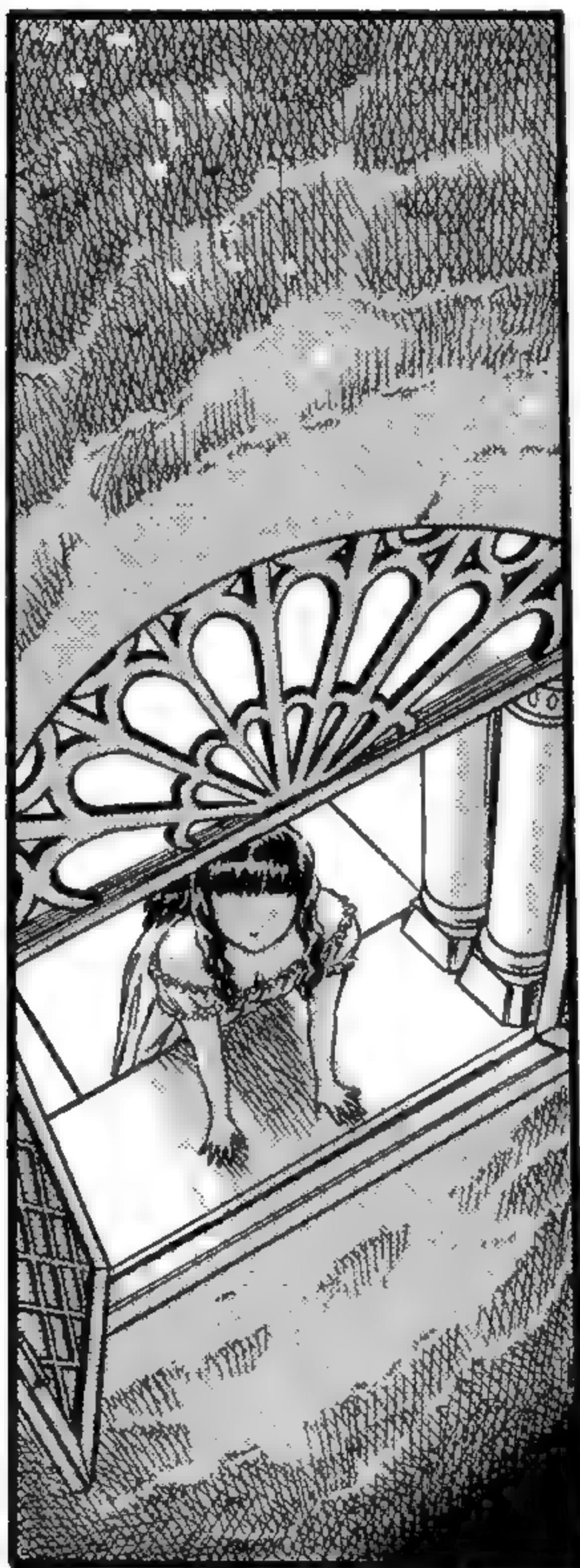
...IT'S  
NATURAL  
THAT YOU  
WOULD  
WORRY  
ABOUT  
YOUR  
FRIEND.











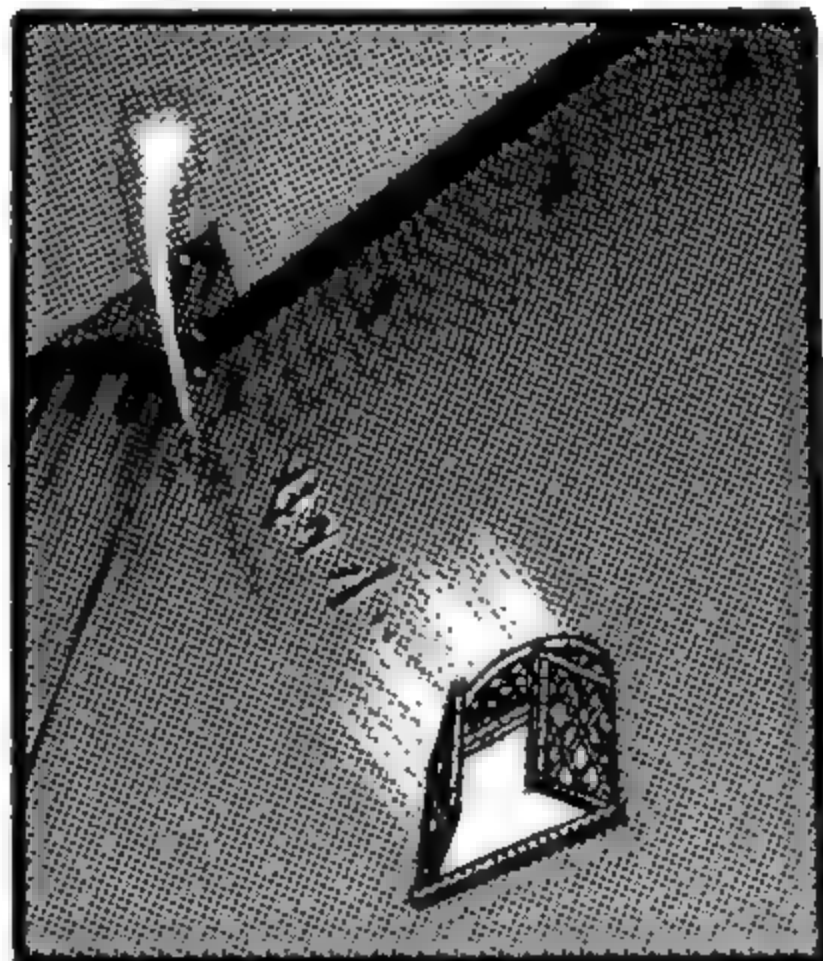






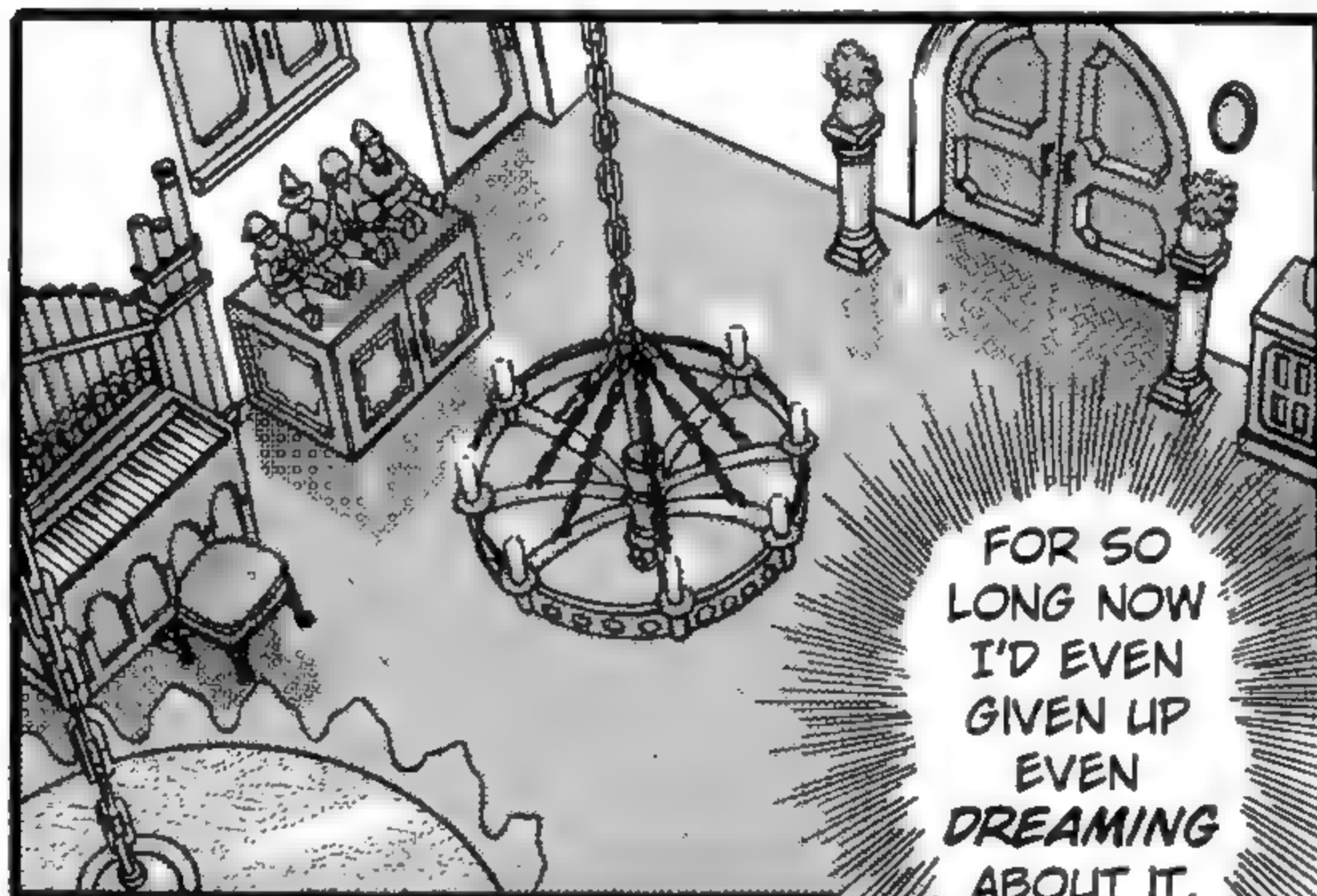


ALRIGHTY  
THEN!  
SEE YA  
SOON!

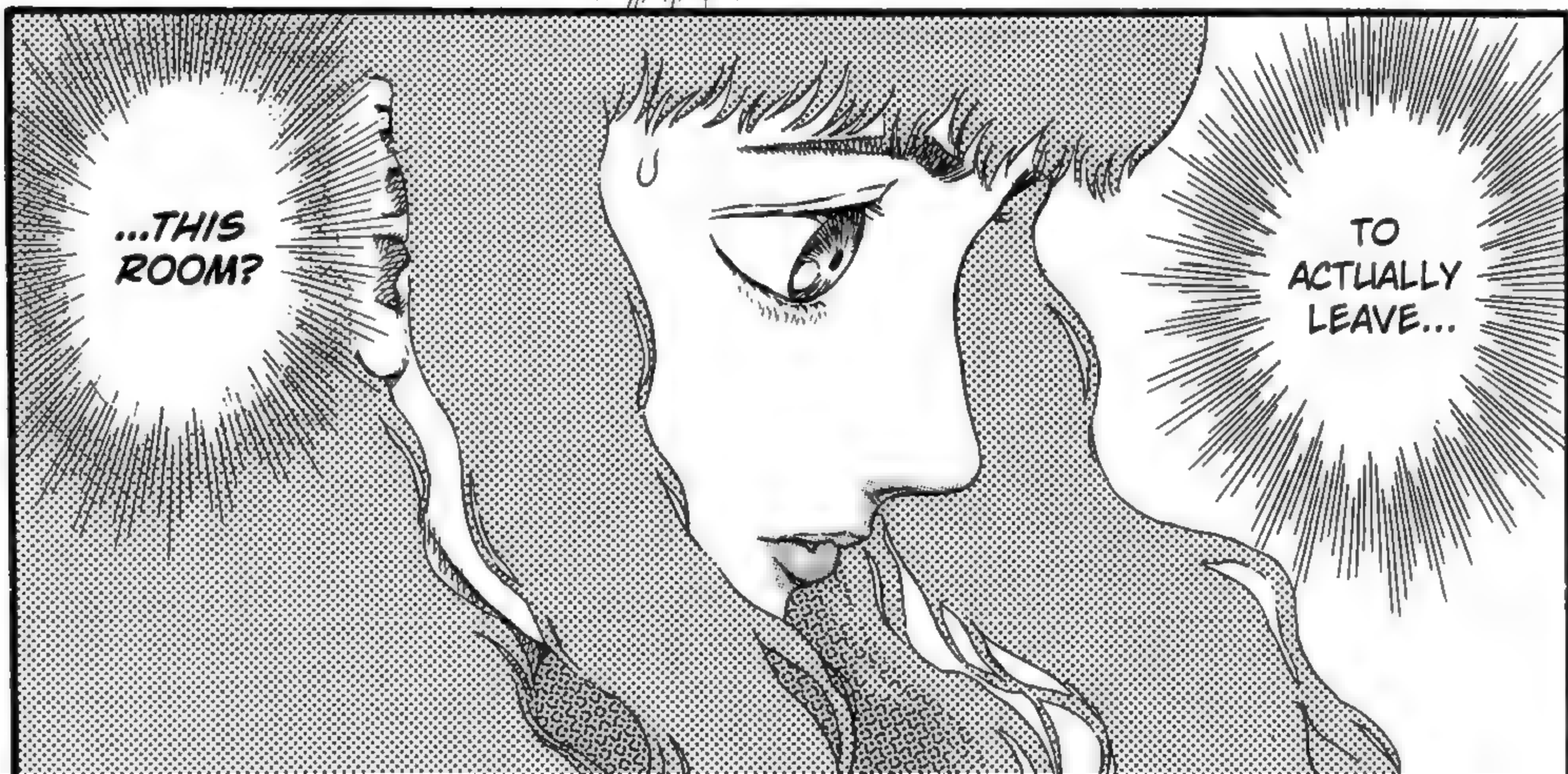
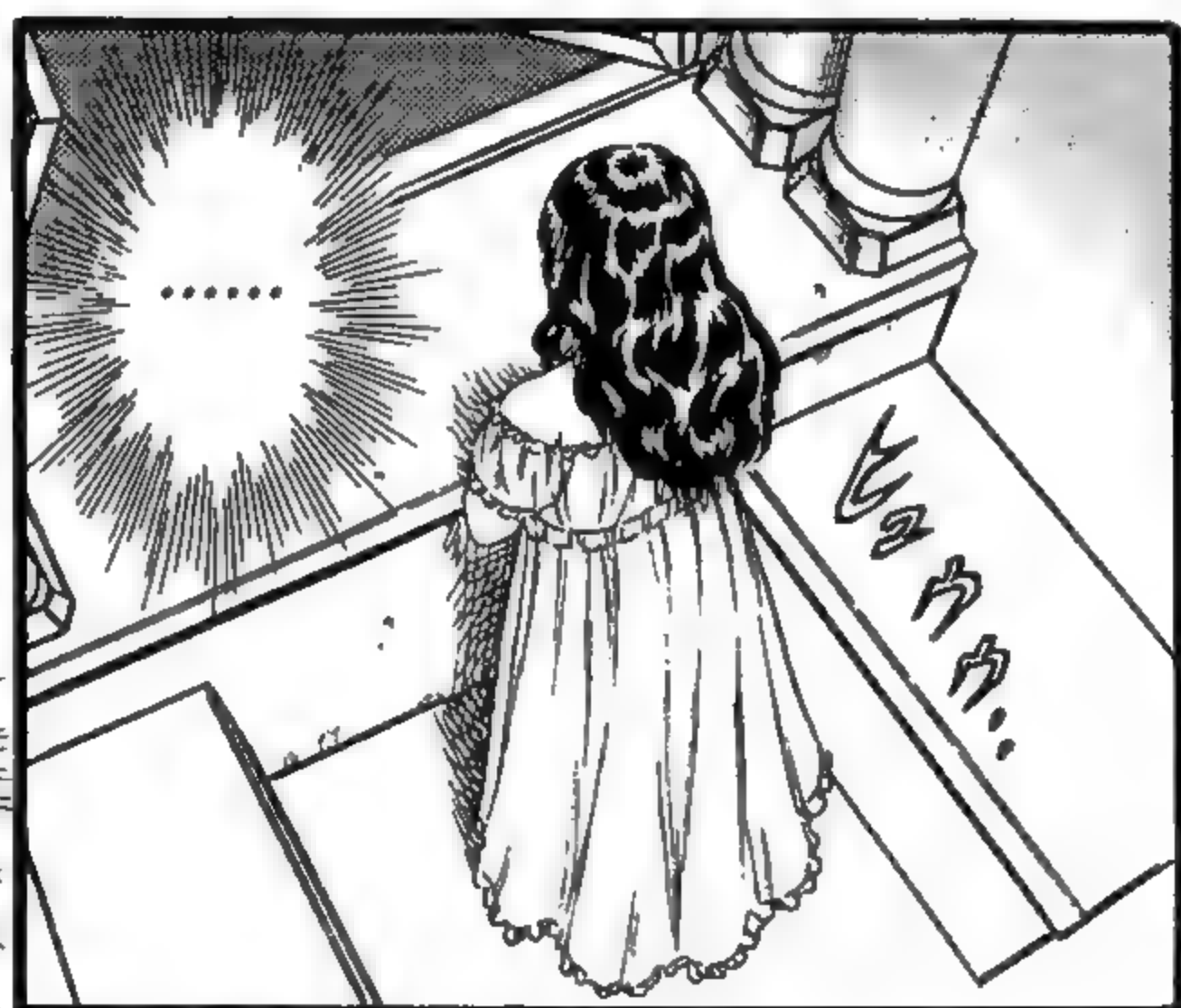


EH?

AND THEN  
I'LL TAKE  
YOU  
OUTTA  
HERE.



FOR SO  
LONG NOW  
I'D EVEN  
GIVEN UP  
EVEN  
DREAMING  
ABOUT IT.



...THIS  
ROOM?

TO  
ACTUALLY  
LEAVE...

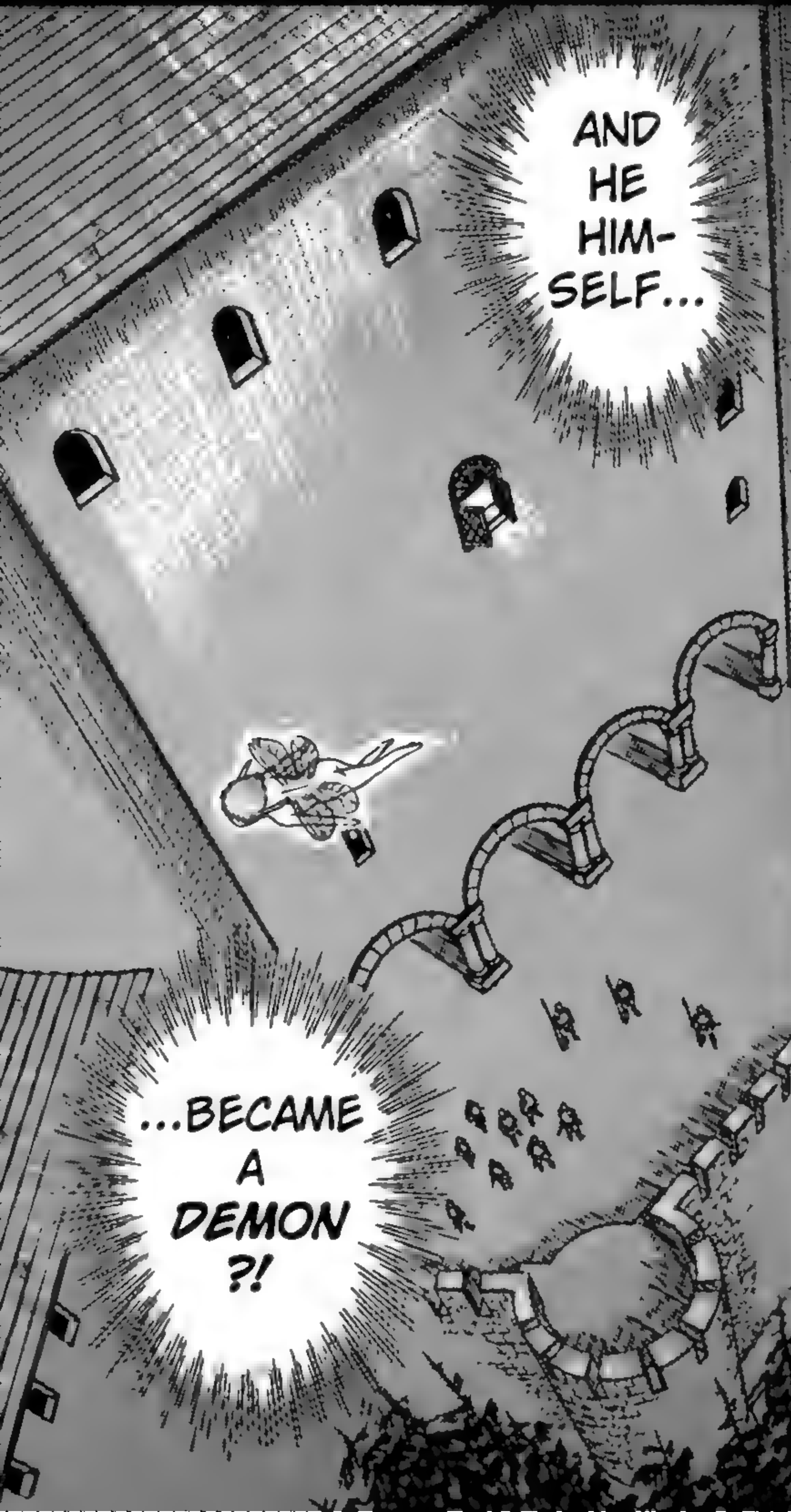


**...OUT-  
SIDE?!**



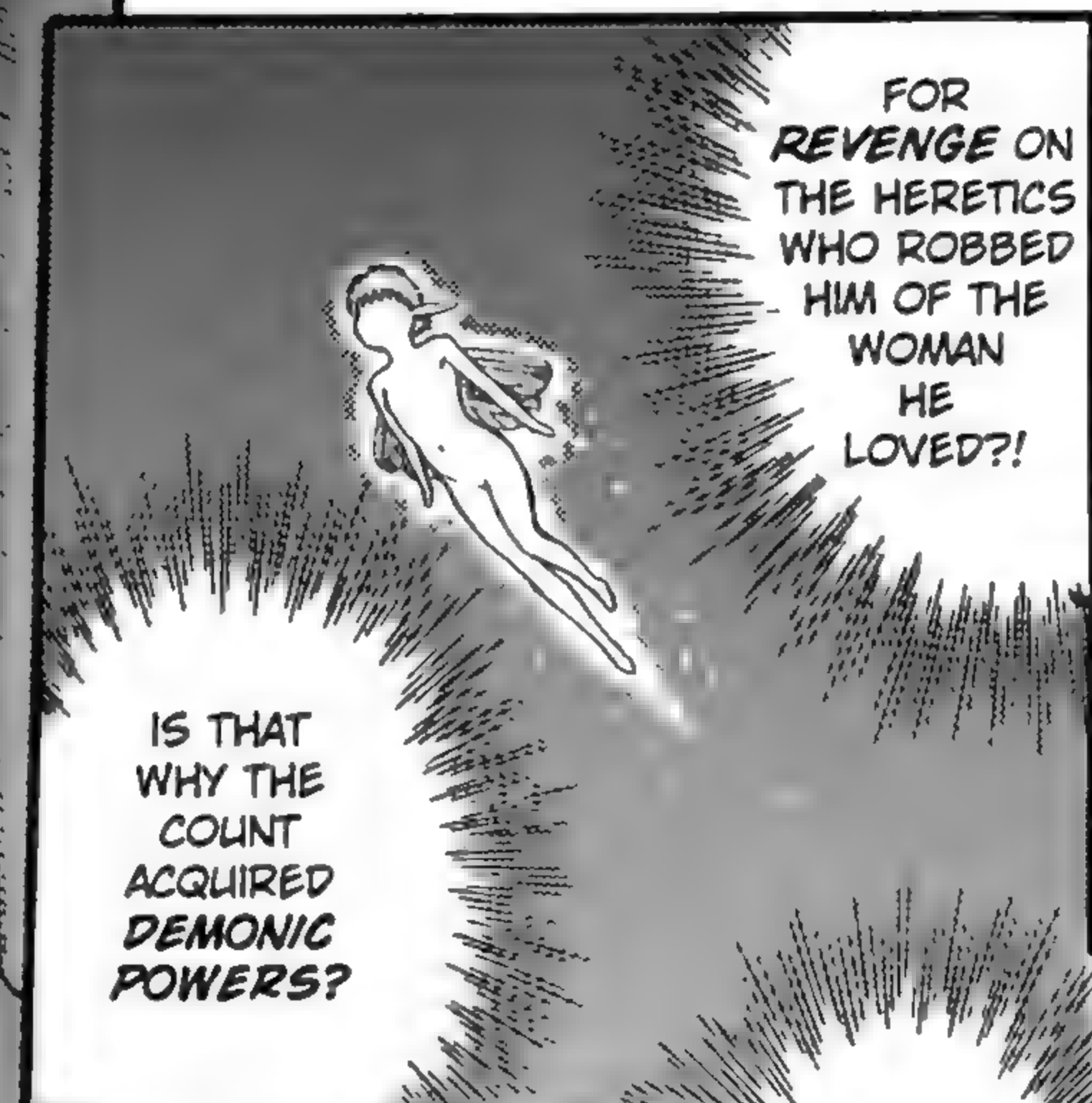
**TO  
GO...**

**AND  
HE  
HIM-  
SELF...**

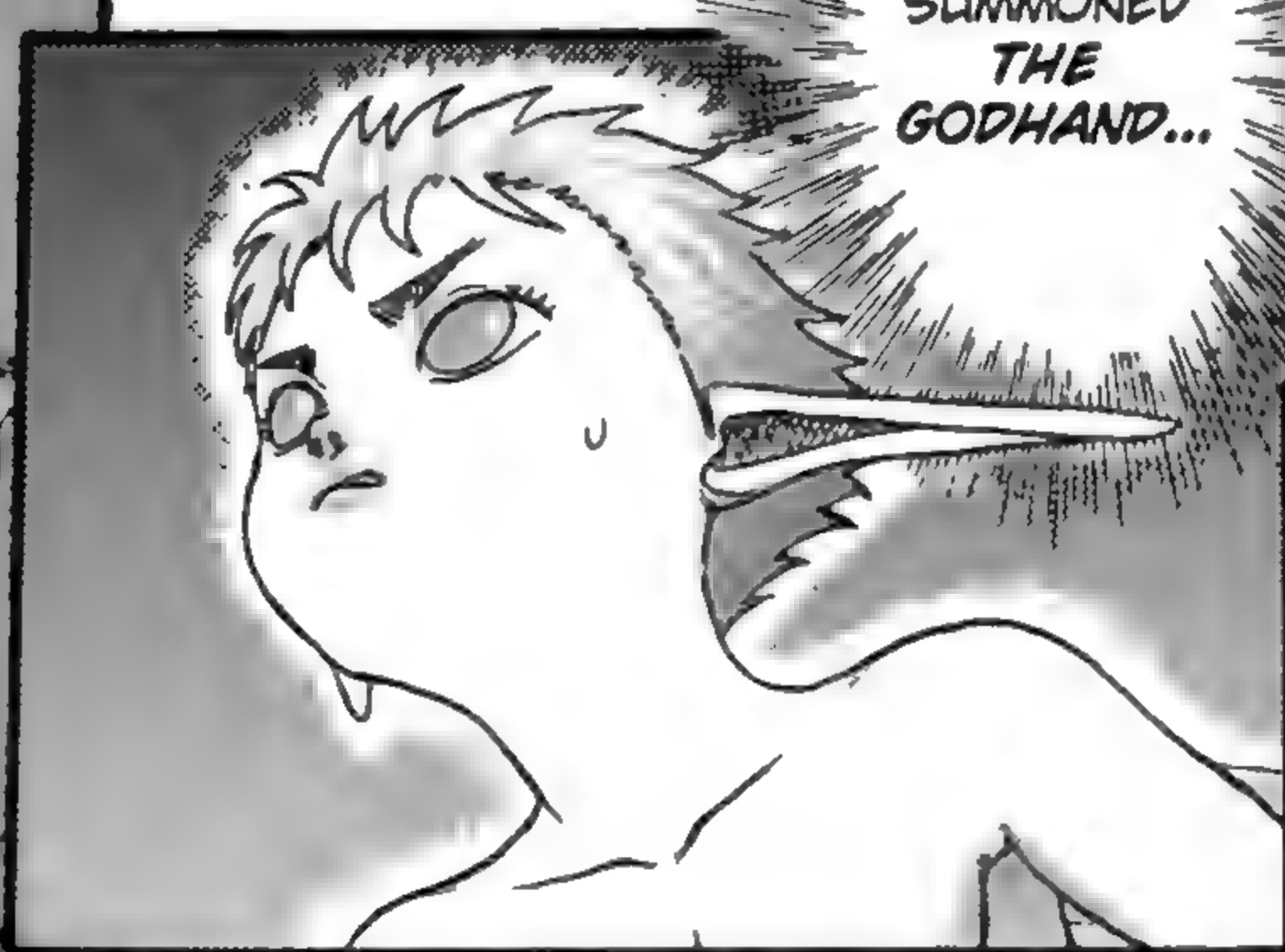


**FOR  
REVENGE ON  
THE HERETICS  
WHO ROBBED  
HIM OF THE  
WOMAN  
HE  
LOVED?!**

**IS THAT  
WHY THE  
COUNT  
ACQUIRED  
DEMONIC  
POWERS?**

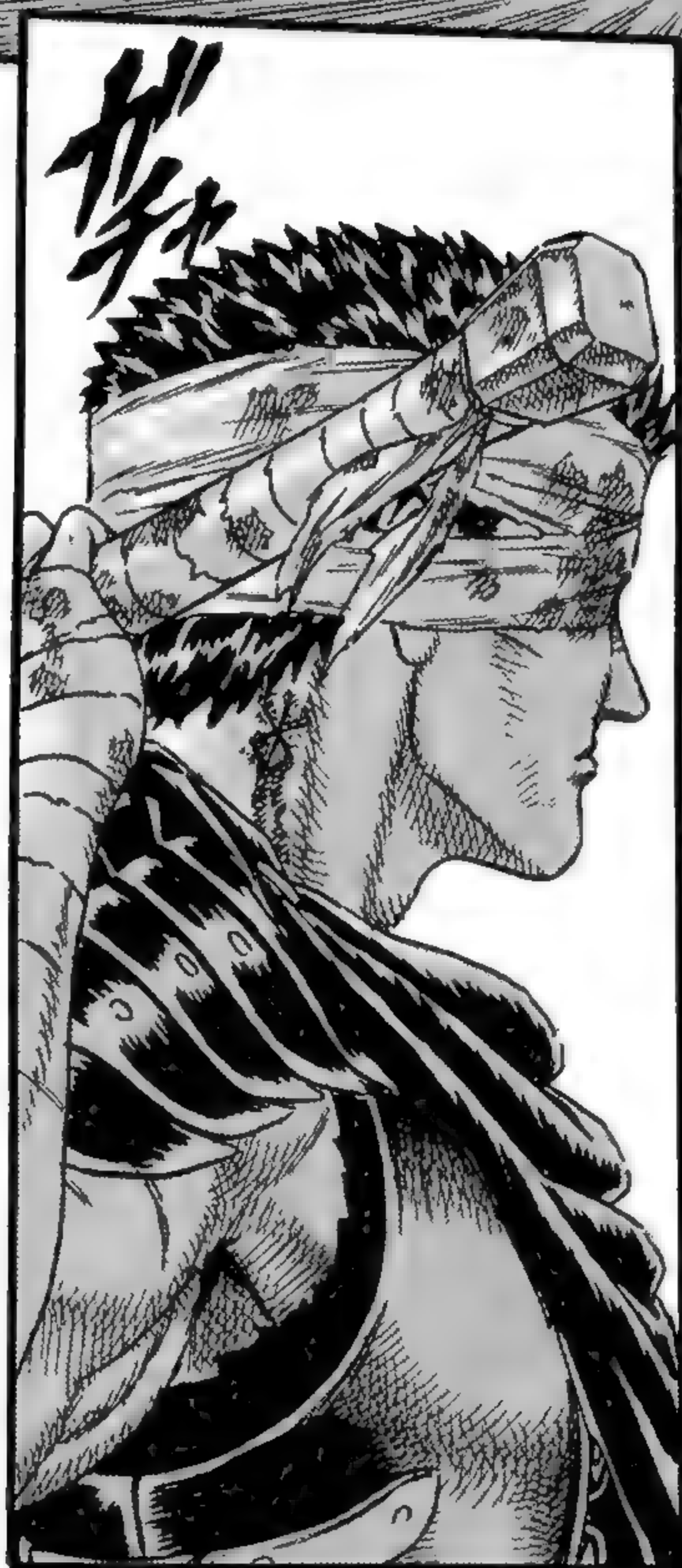


**HE  
SUMMONED  
THE  
GODHAND...**



**...BECAME  
A  
DEMON  
?!**











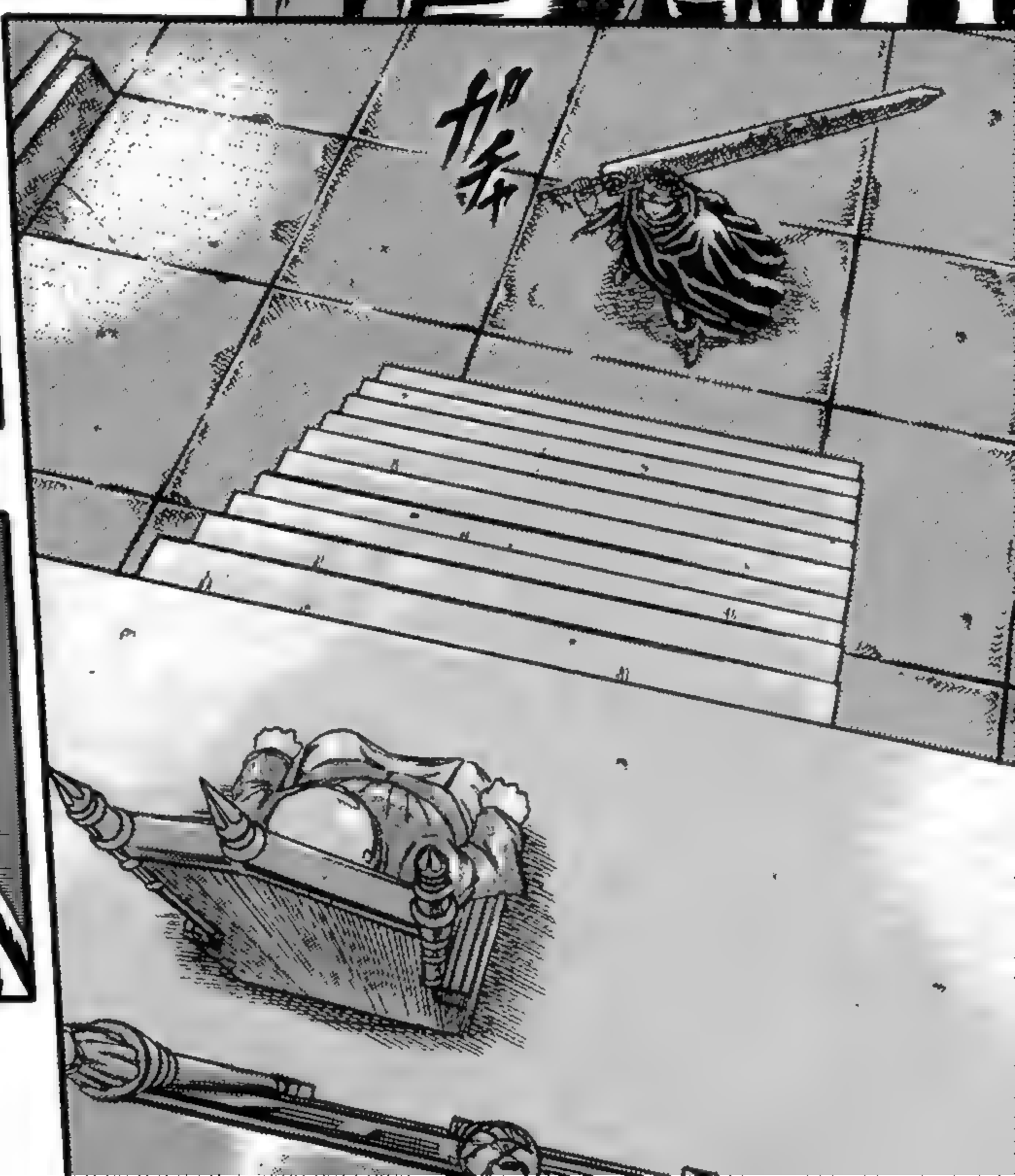
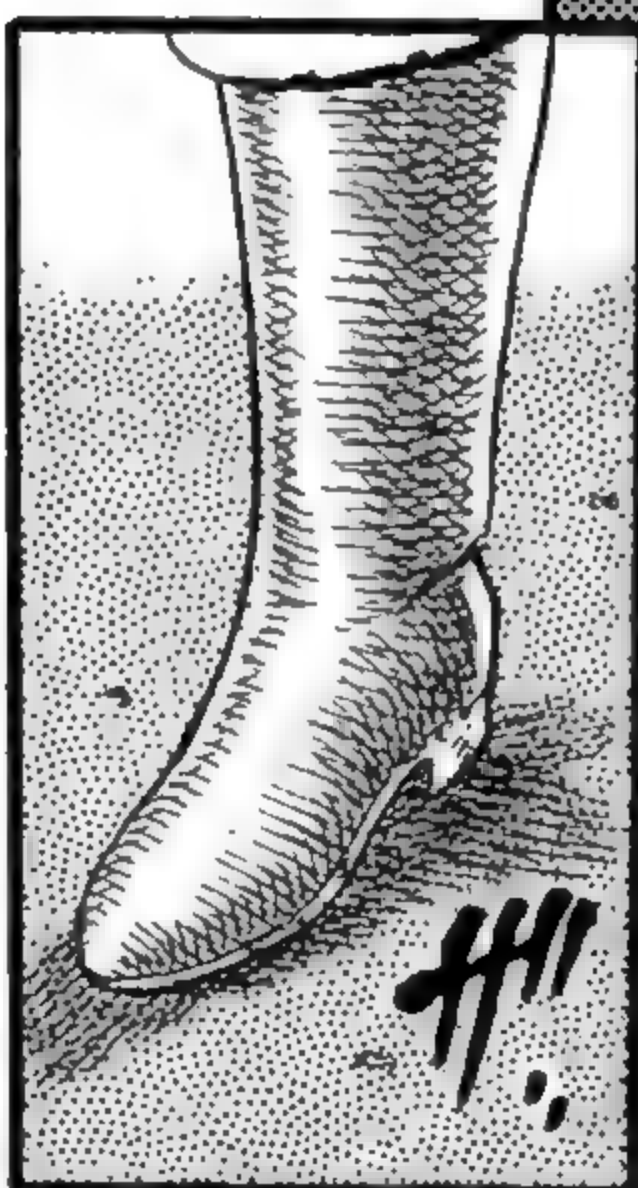
COME NOW  
AND TEST  
ME. LET'S  
SEE JUST  
HOW FAR  
HUMAN  
POWER  
WILL GO!



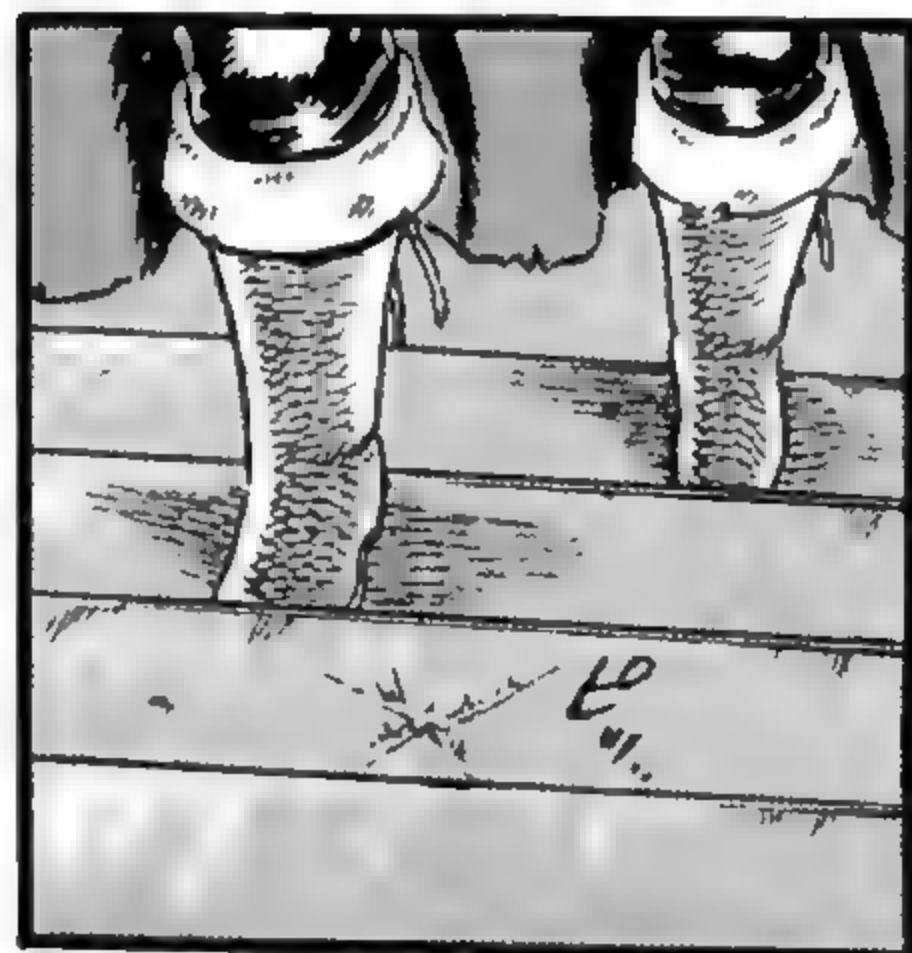
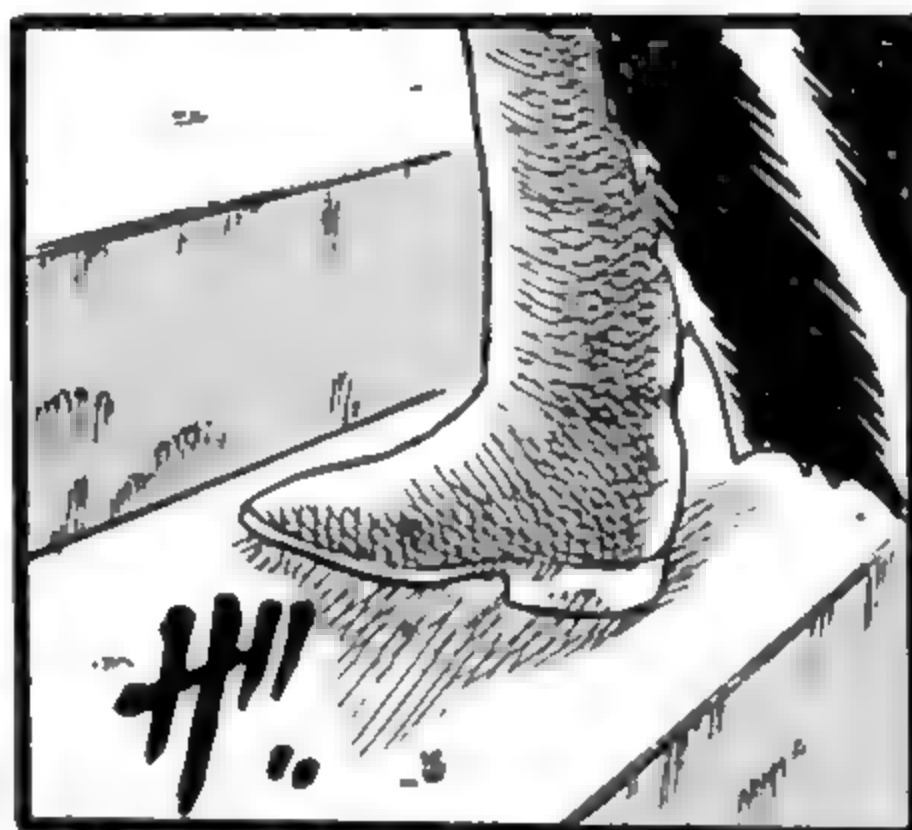
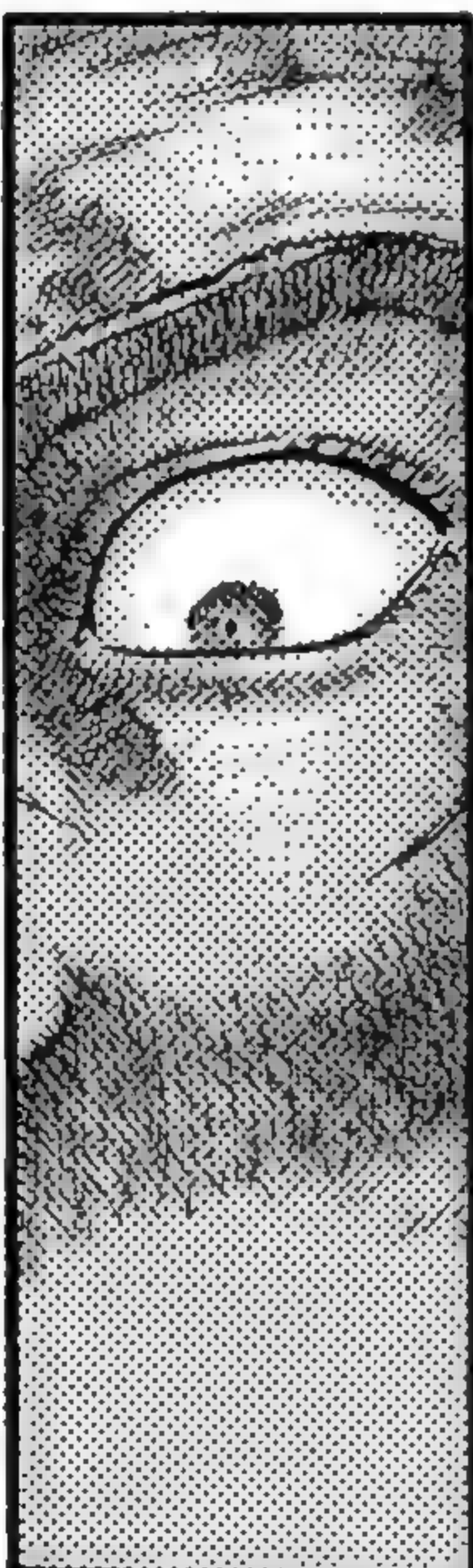
WELL  
DONE,  
BLACK  
SWORDS-  
MAN.

IMPRESSIVE  
THAT YOU  
MADE IT  
THIS FAR.













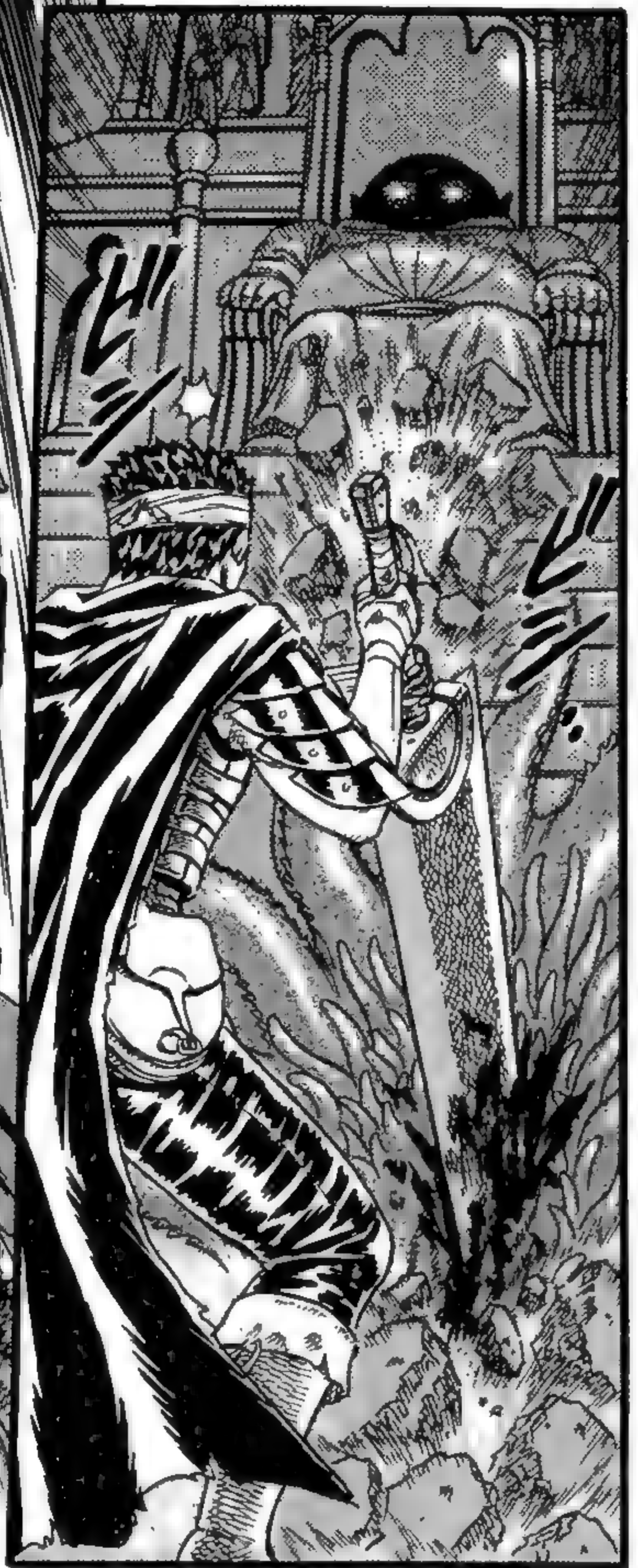




NICELY  
COUNTERED.



オオオオ  
?!







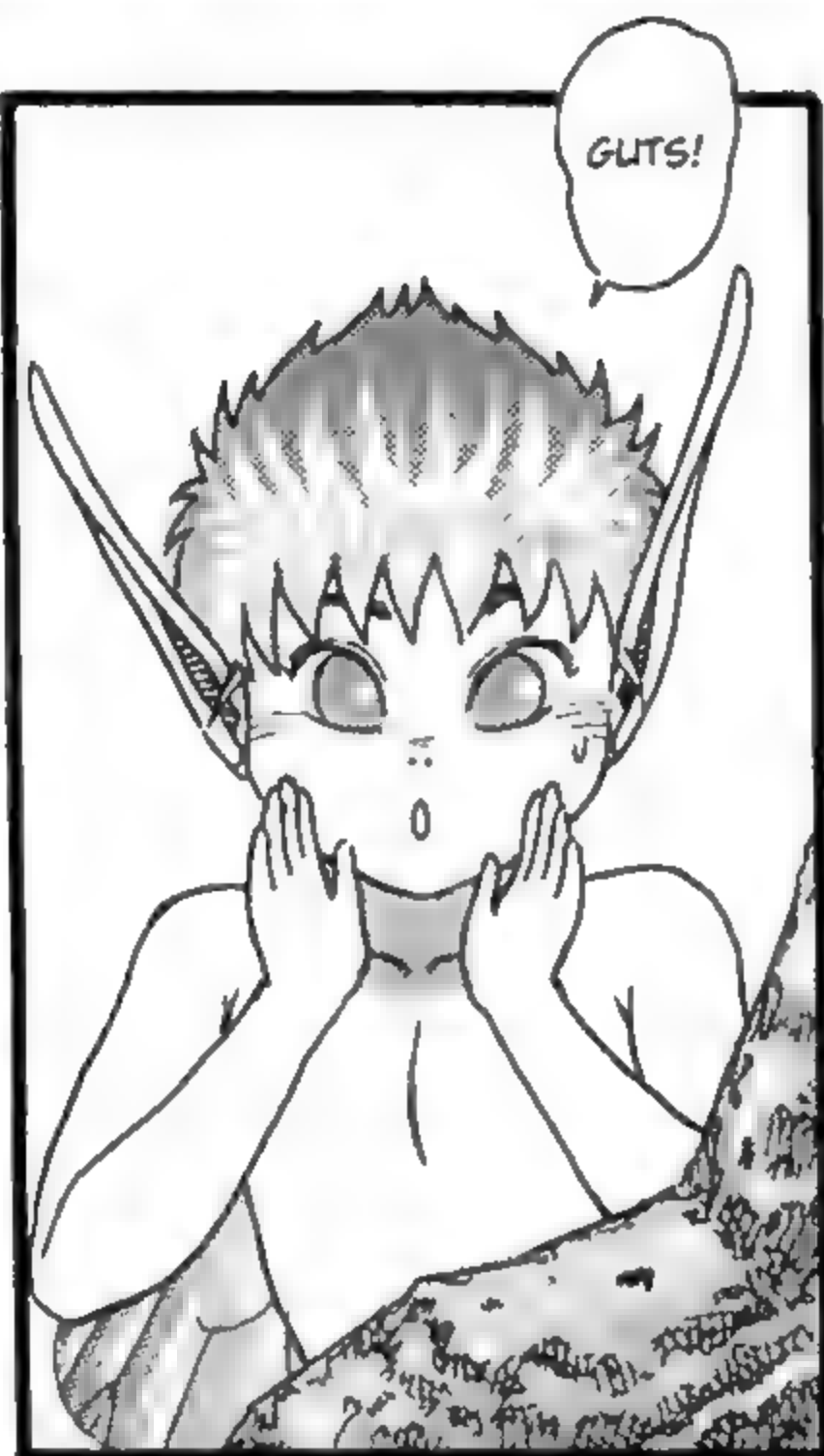
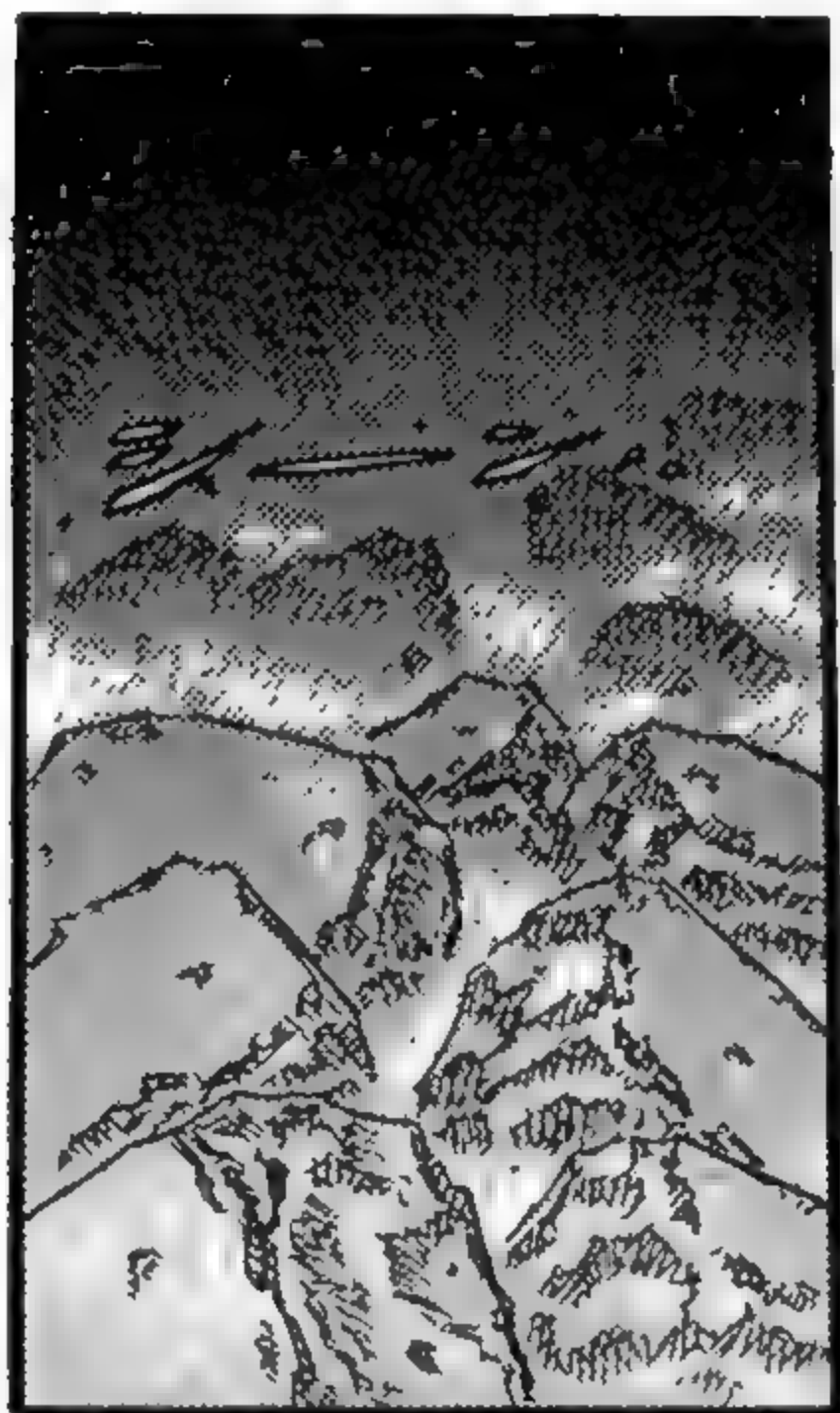
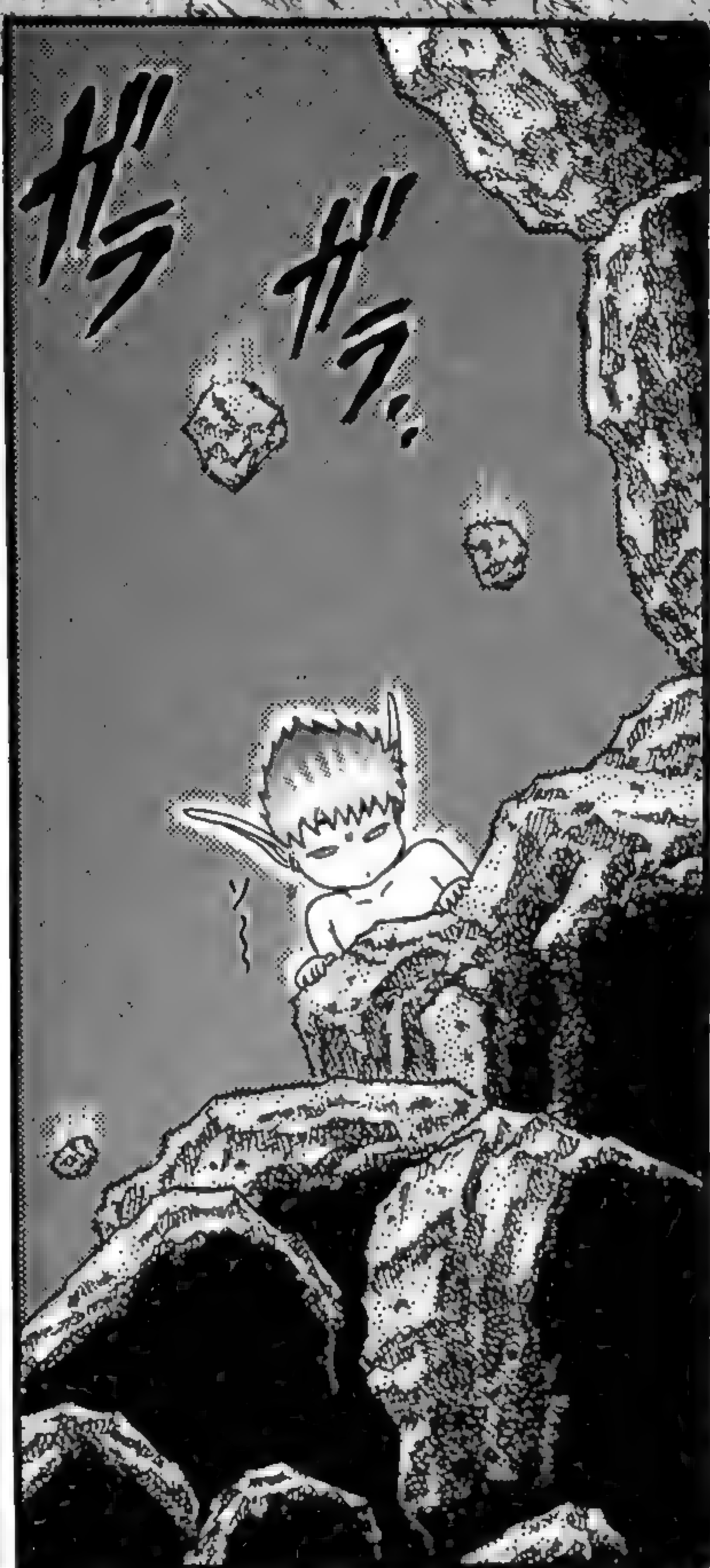
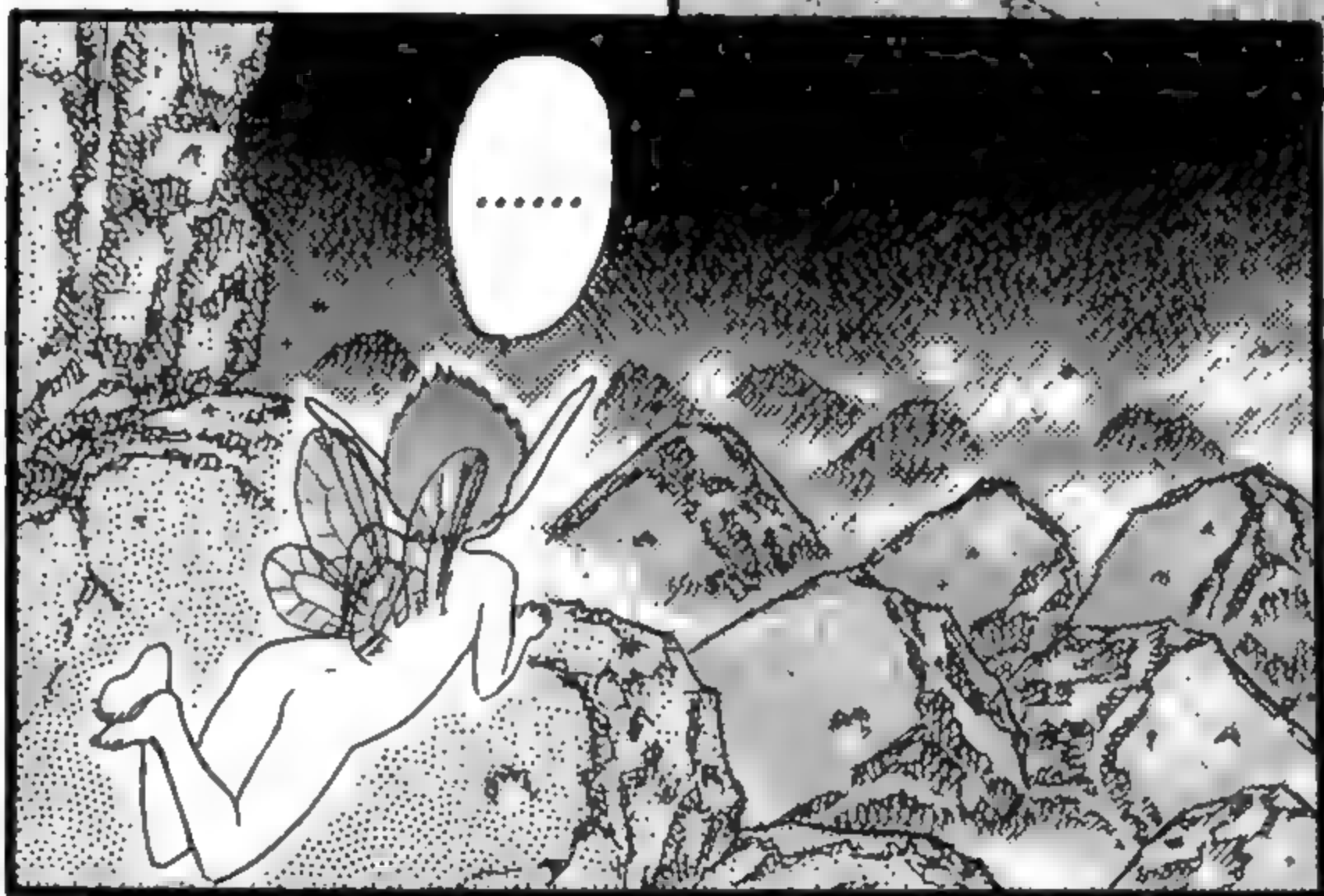
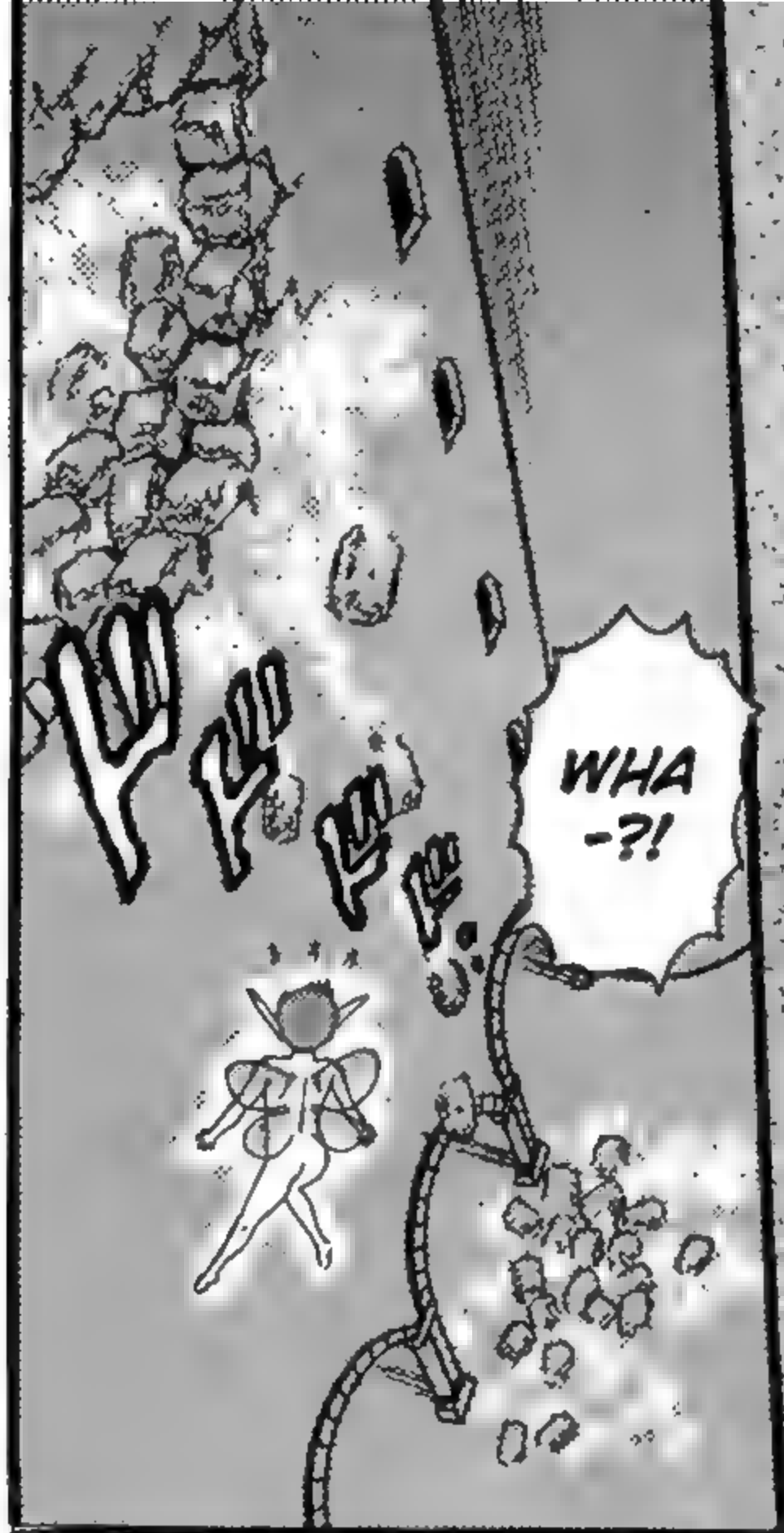
I NOW GRASP  
THE EXTENT  
OF YOUR  
SKILLS.



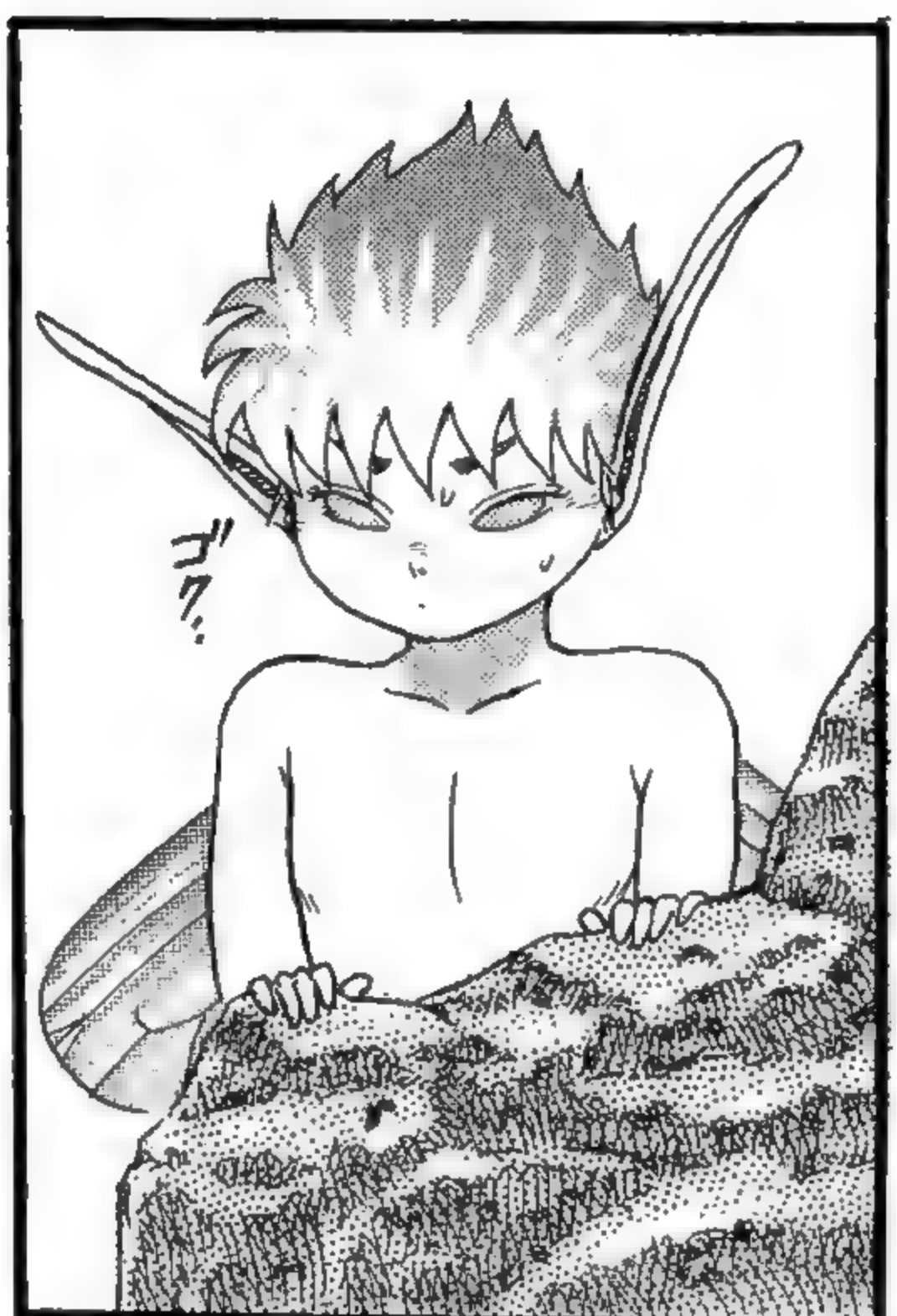
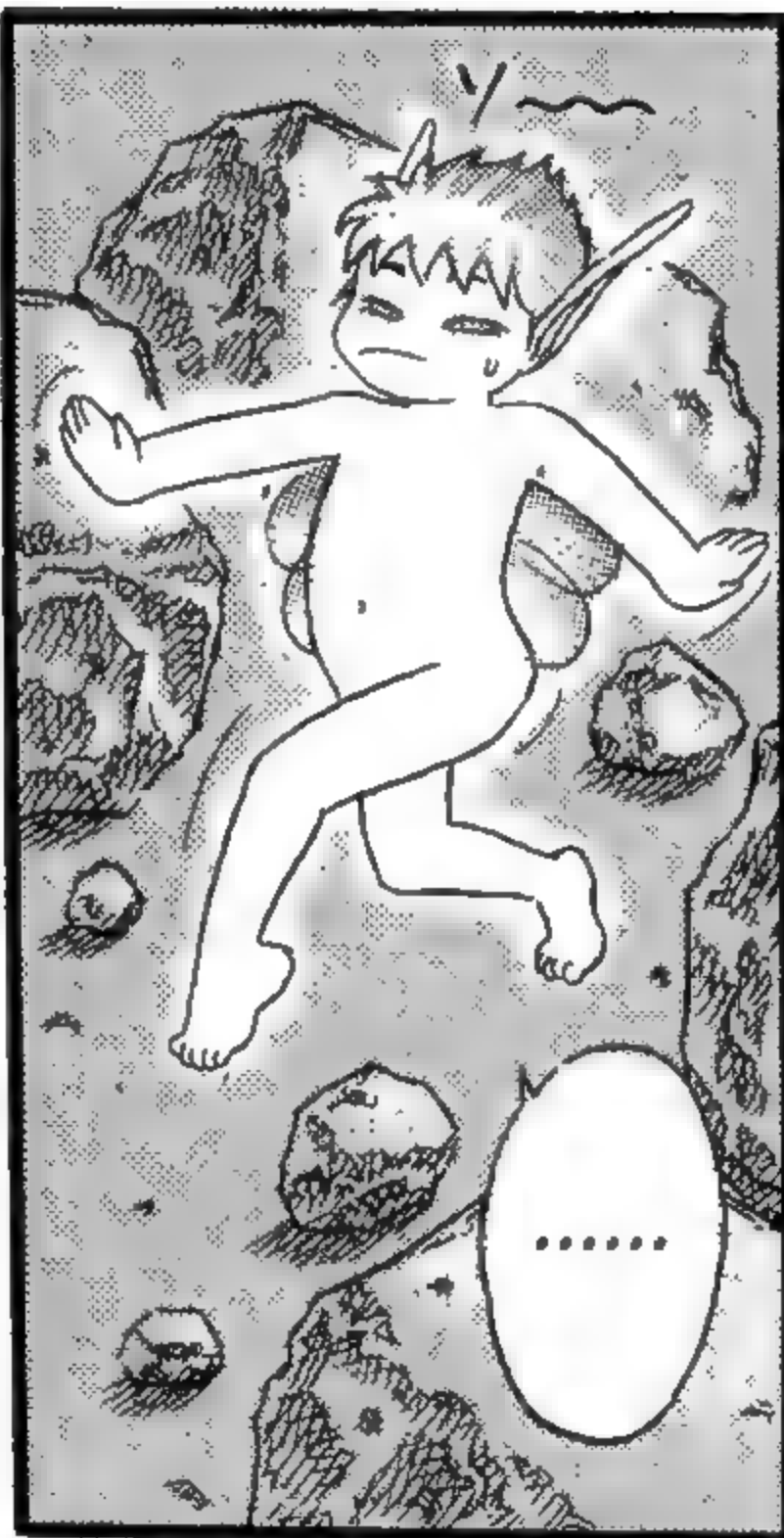
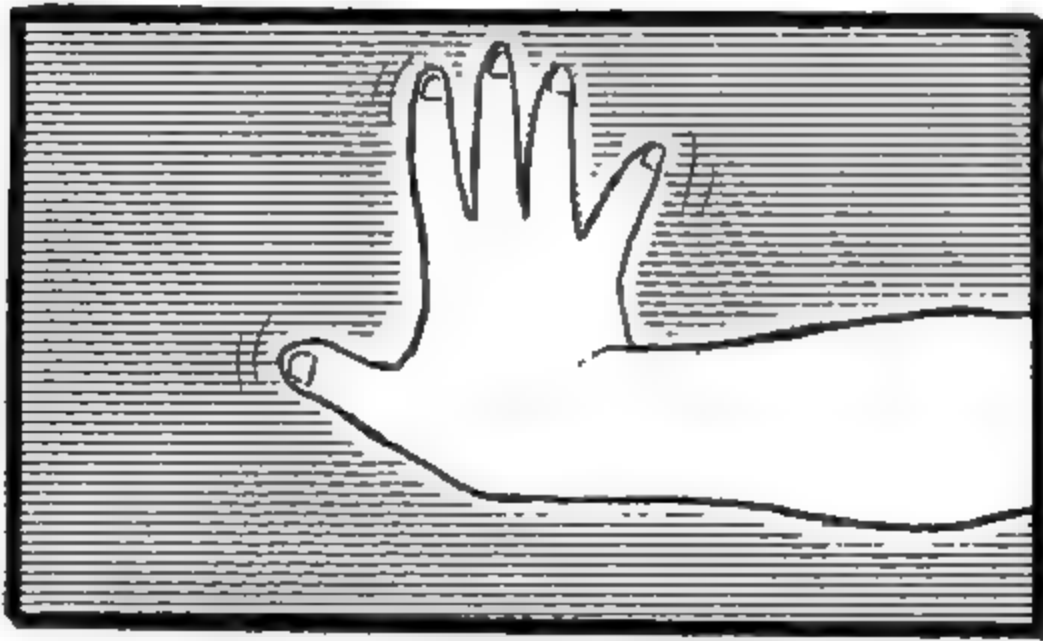
















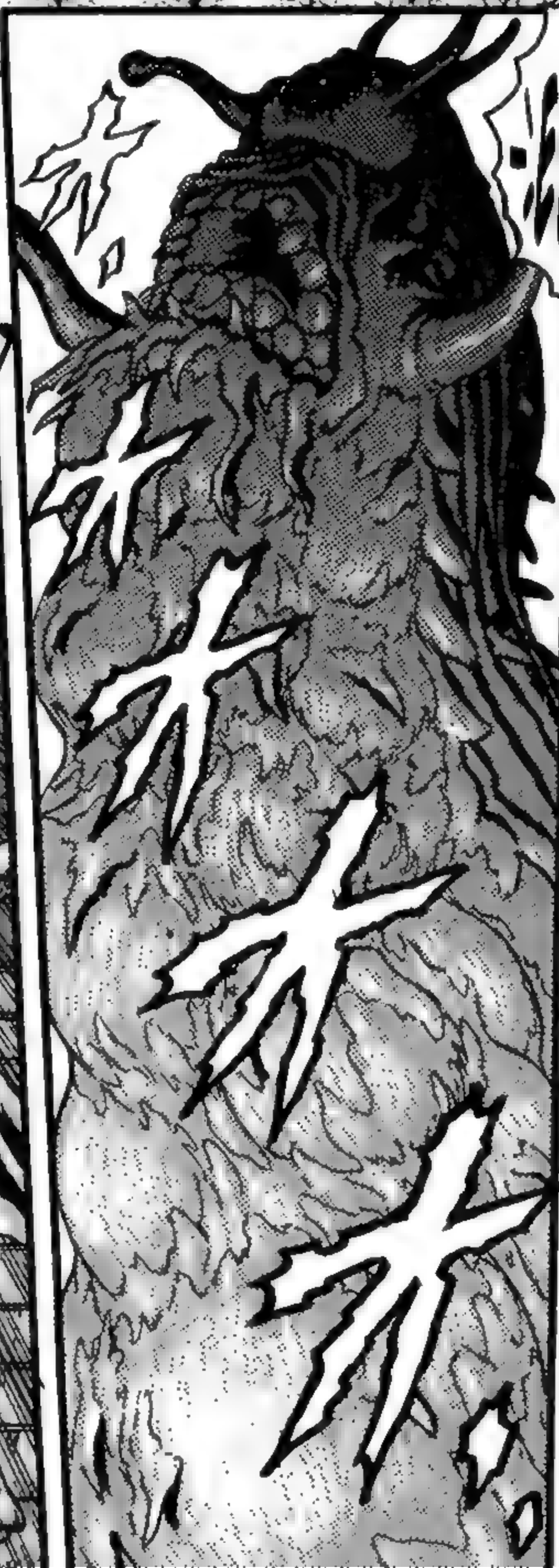




















EACH TIME  
YOU CUT THEM  
OFF, MY BODY  
BECOMES  
**STRONGER!**

...IT'S **FUTILE.**  
NO MATTER HOW  
MANY TIMES YOU  
**CHOP OFF MY**  
ARMS AND LEGS!

A MERE  
SWORD CAN'T  
**POSSIBLY**  
DESTROY  
ME!

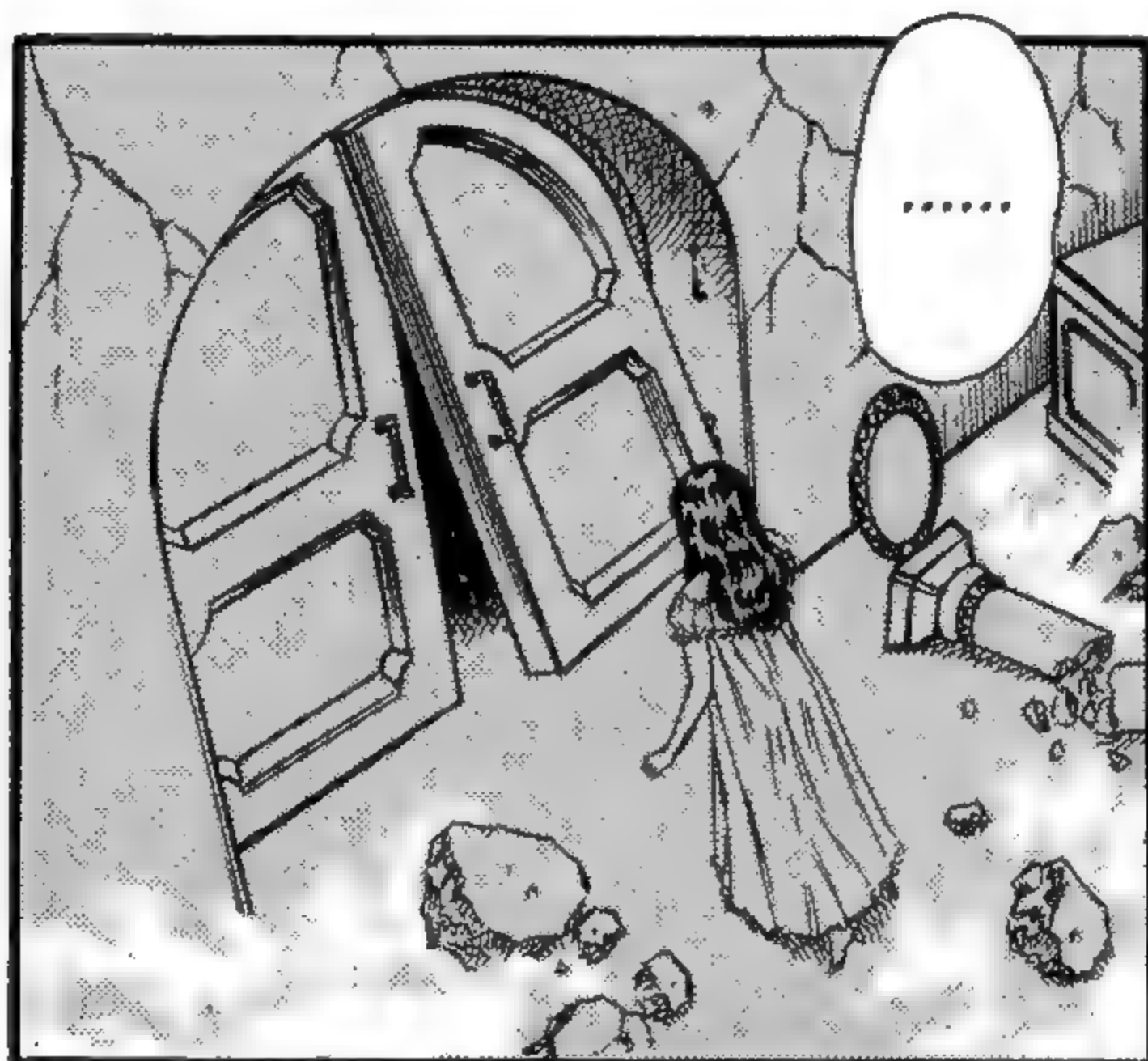
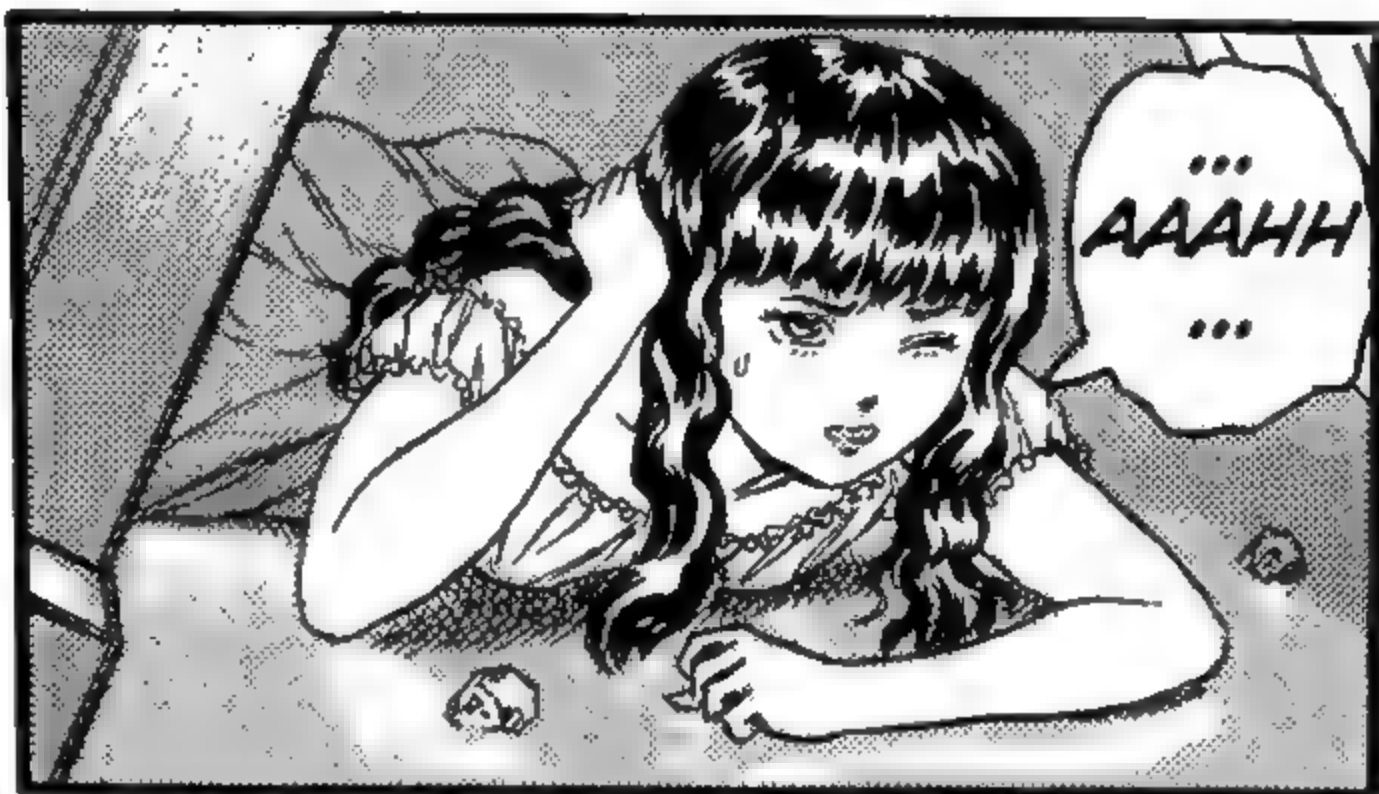
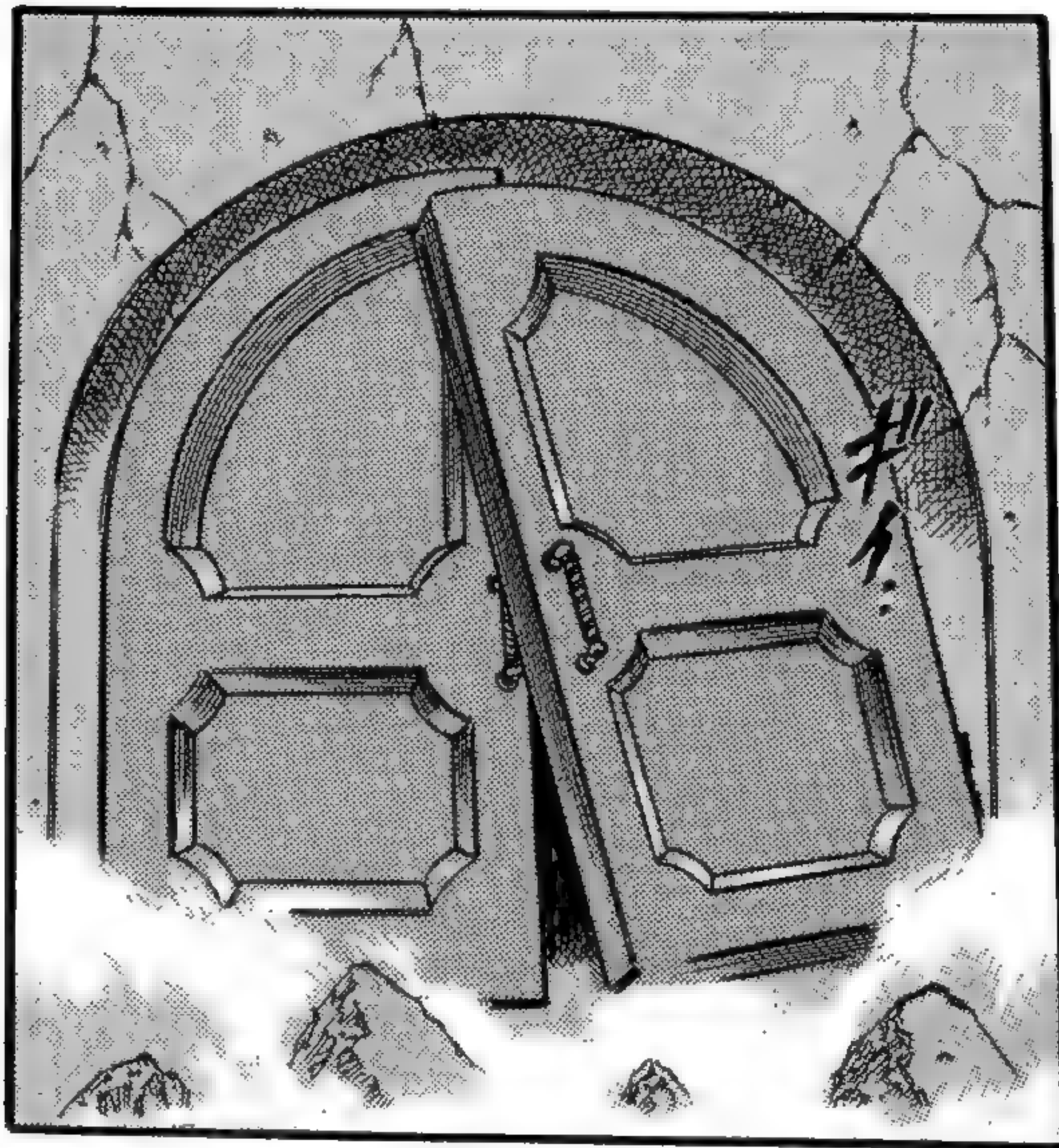
IT GROWS  
**BIGGER AND**  
**BIGGER!**







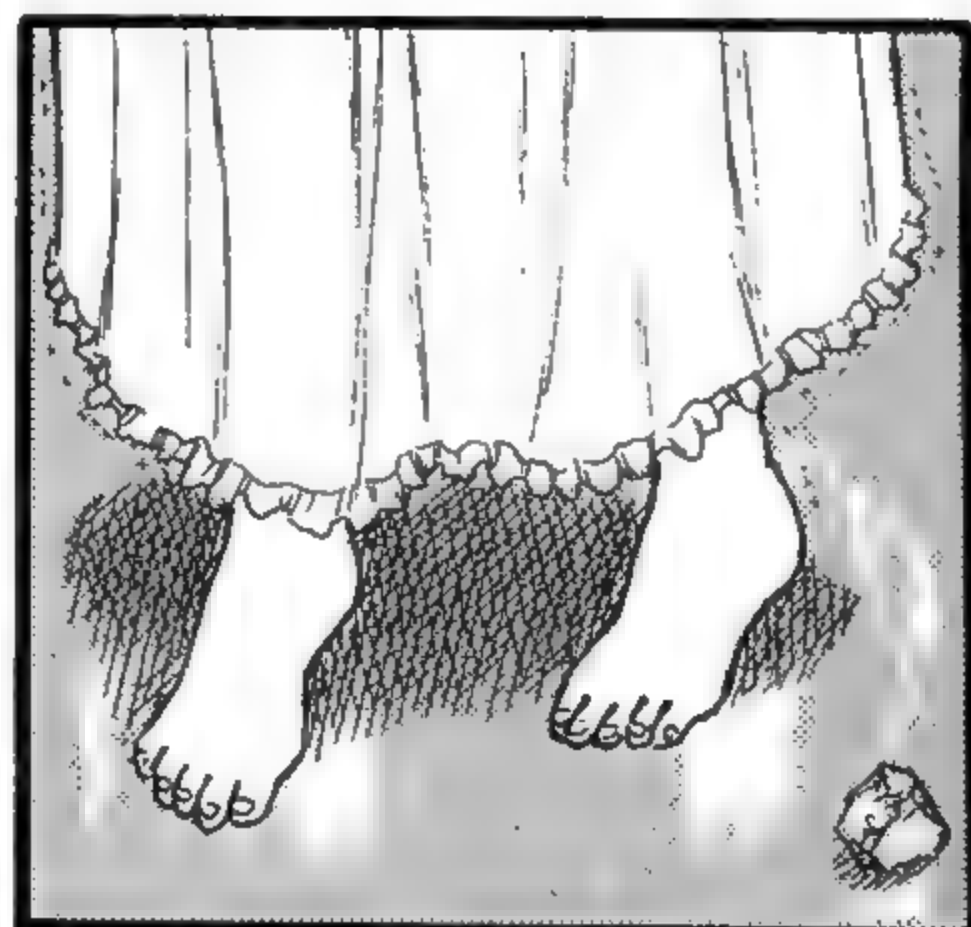
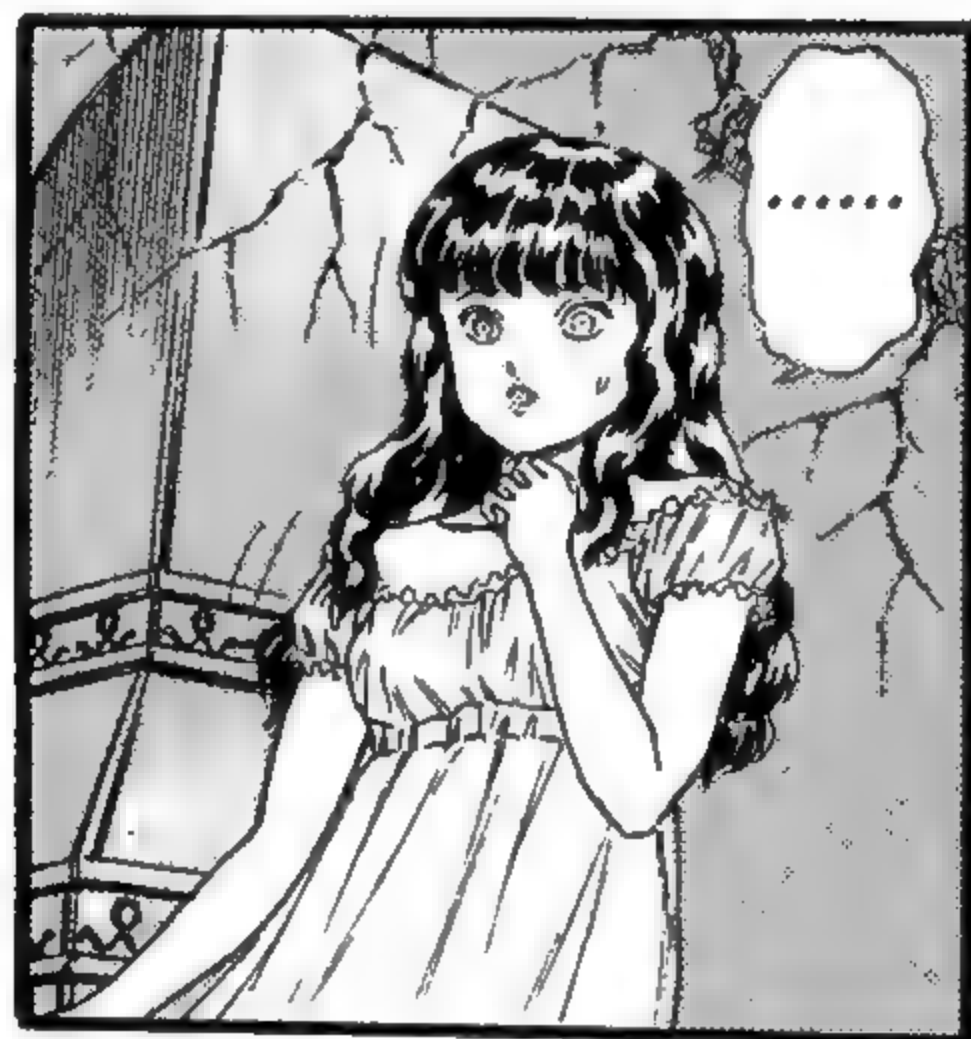




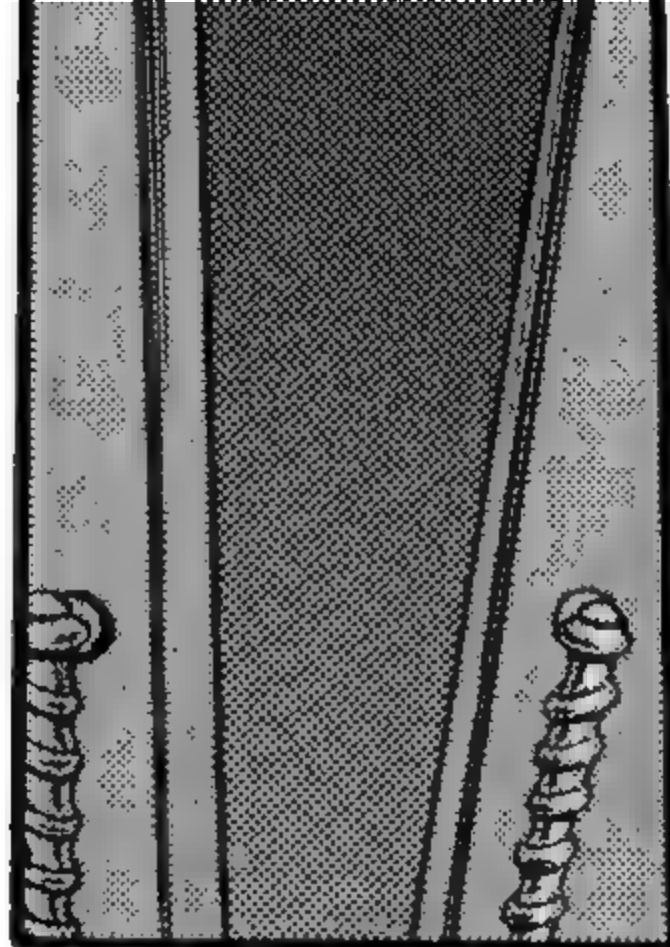


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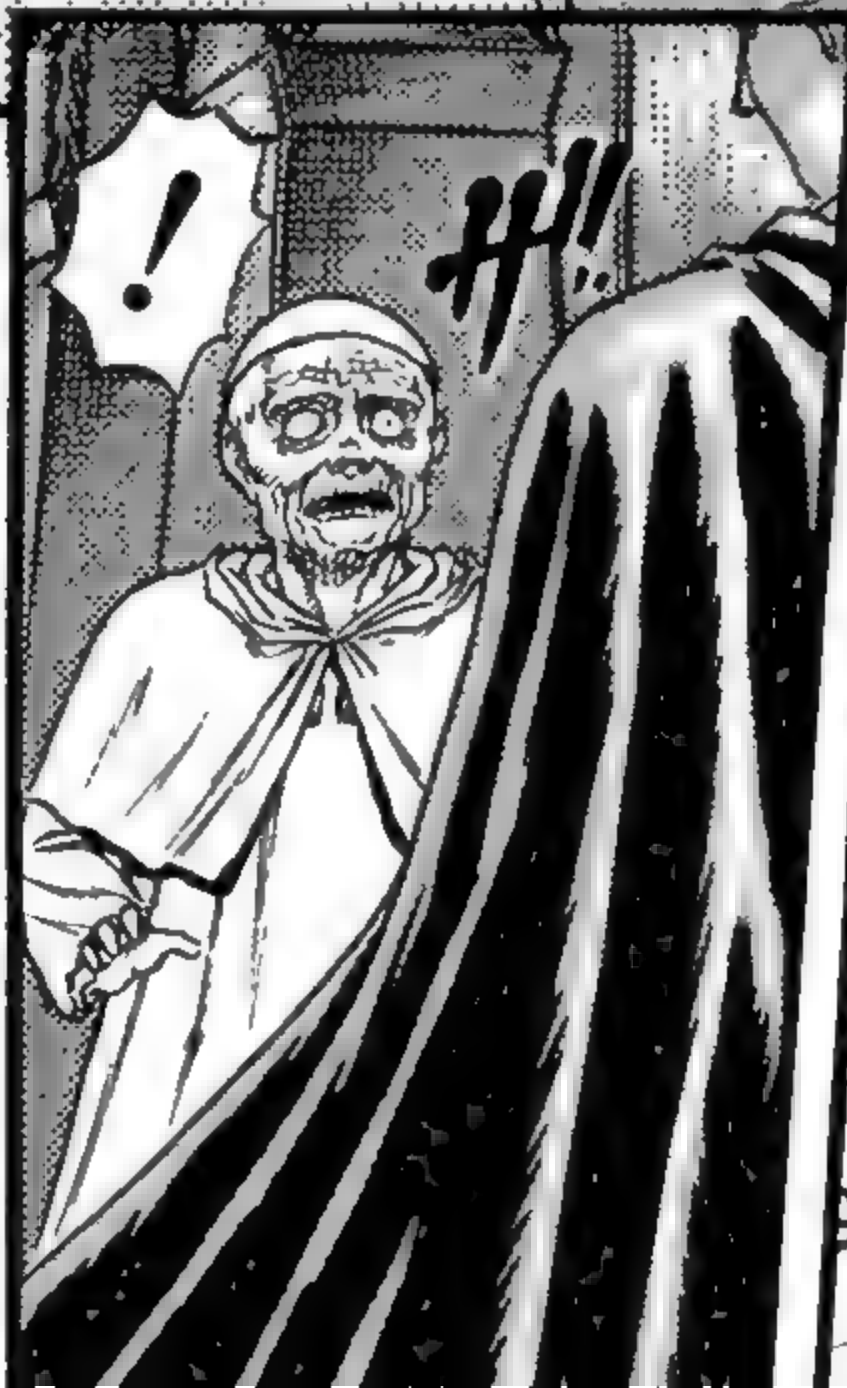




WHERE  
ARE  
YOU?!

WHAT HAPPENED TO  
THAT **VIGOROUS**  
**ONSLAUGHT** OF  
YOURS?! DID YOU FINALLY  
**REALIZE** THAT YOU  
HAVE **NO CHANCE** OF  
**WINNING** AND DECIDE  
TO **RUN AWAY?!**

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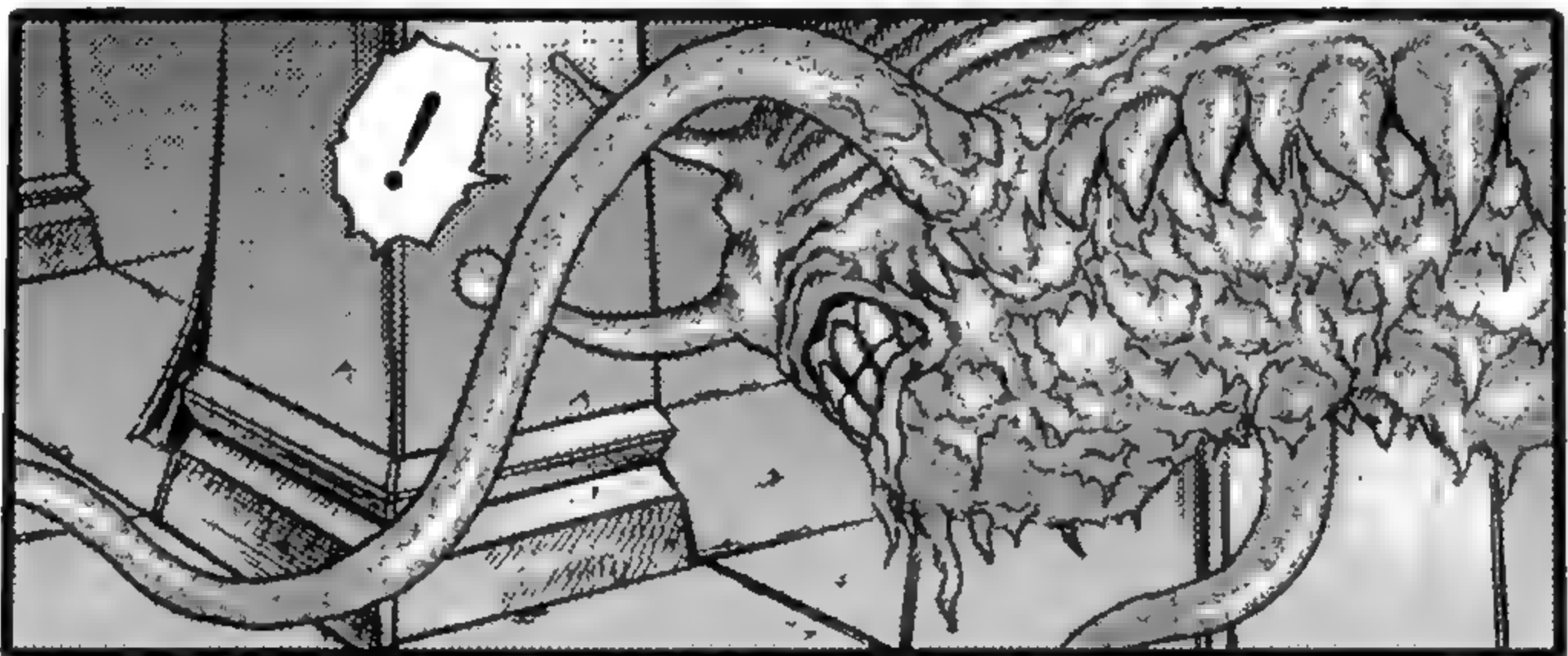


THIS  
CAN'T  
BE  
HAPPEN-  
ING!



WHAT'S  
GOING  
ON?!

















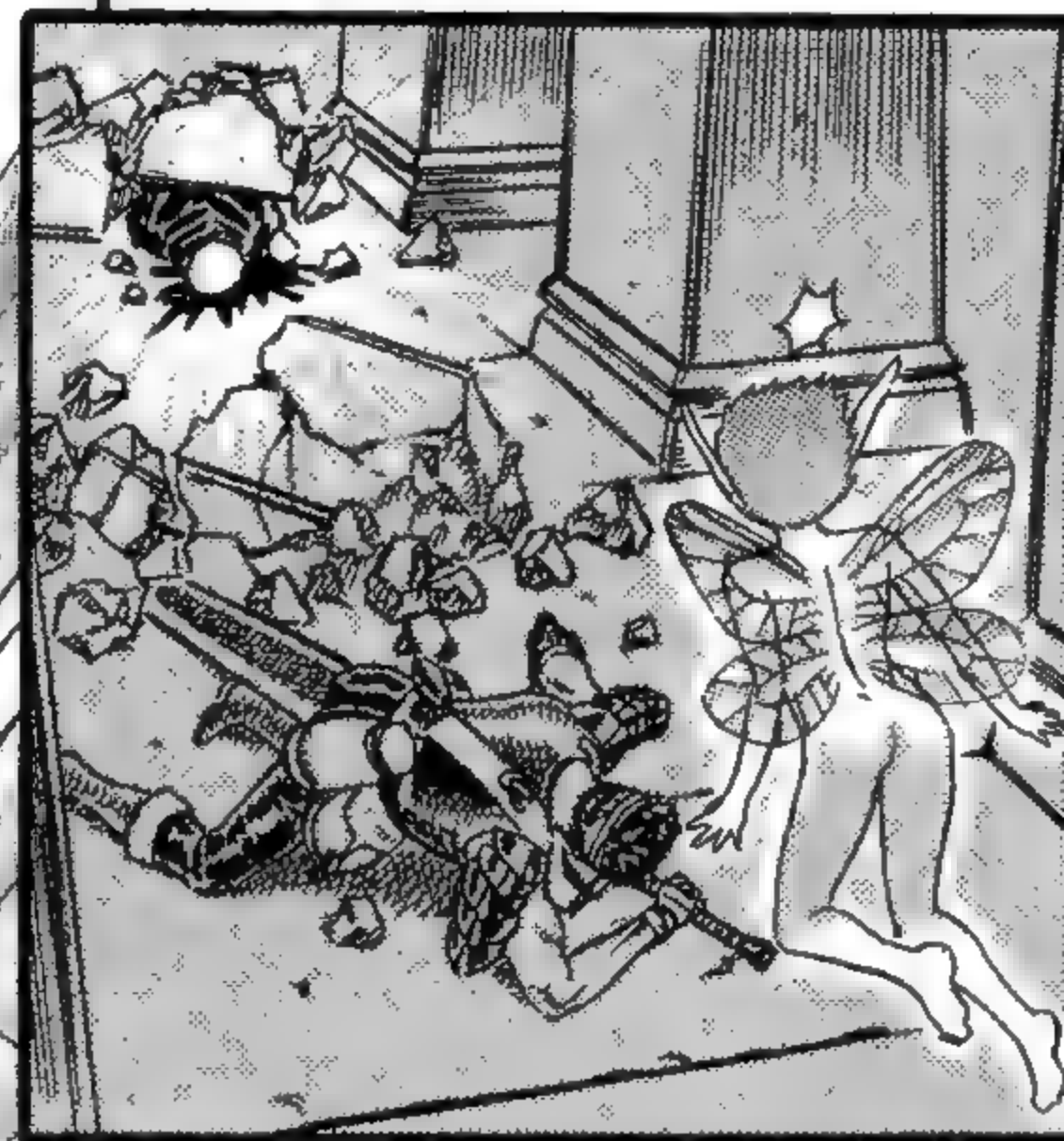
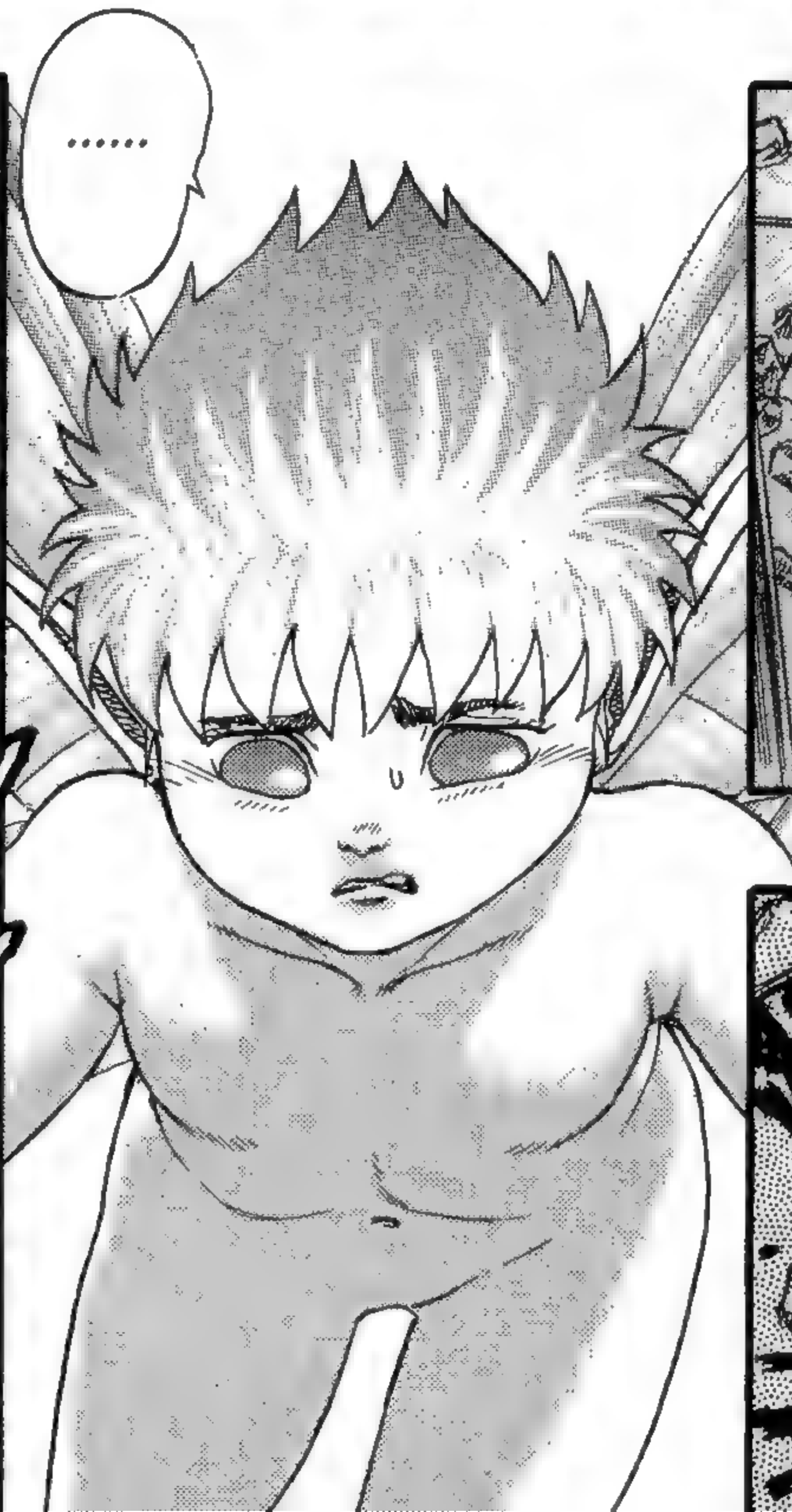
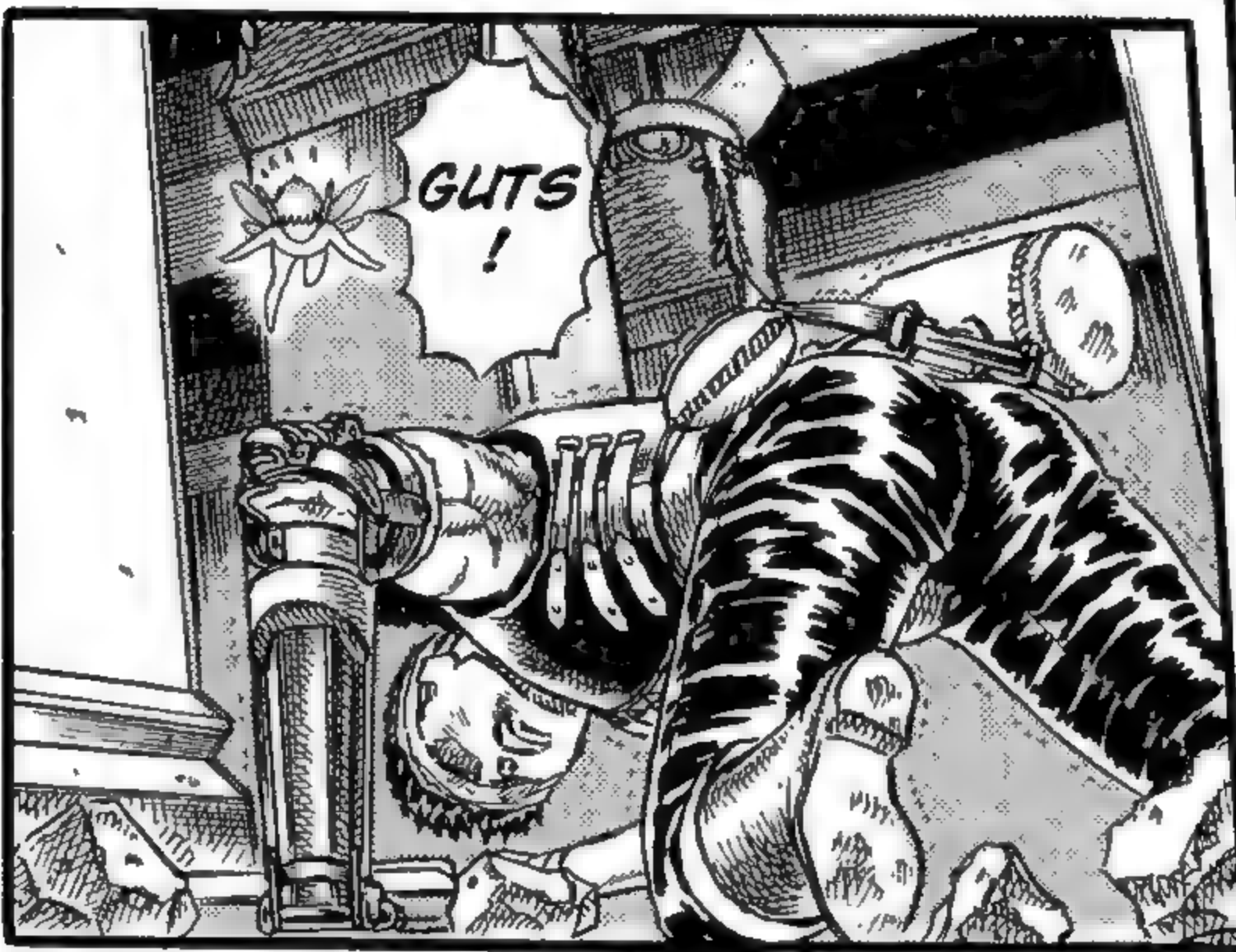
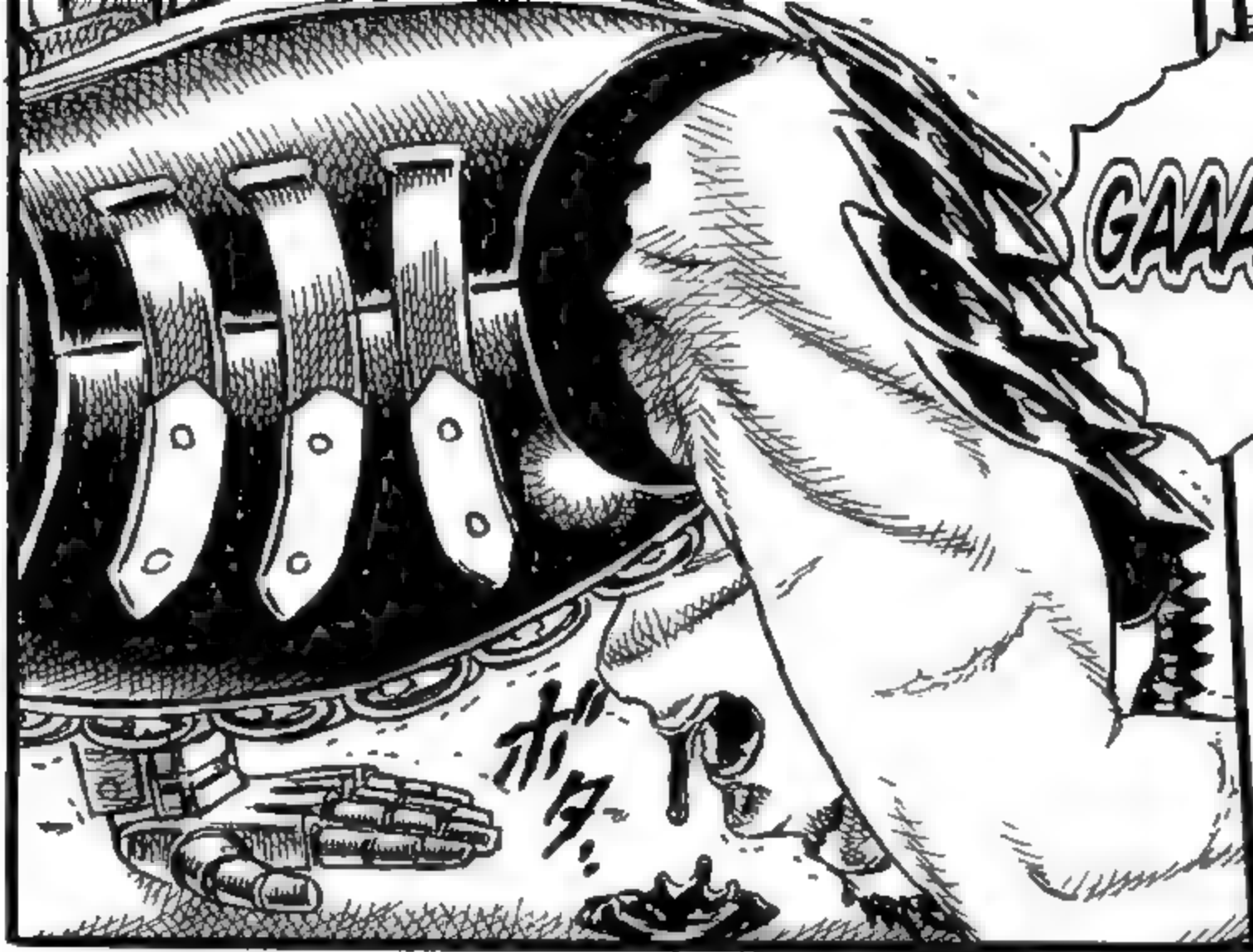
JUST A  
SURFACE  
WOUND!













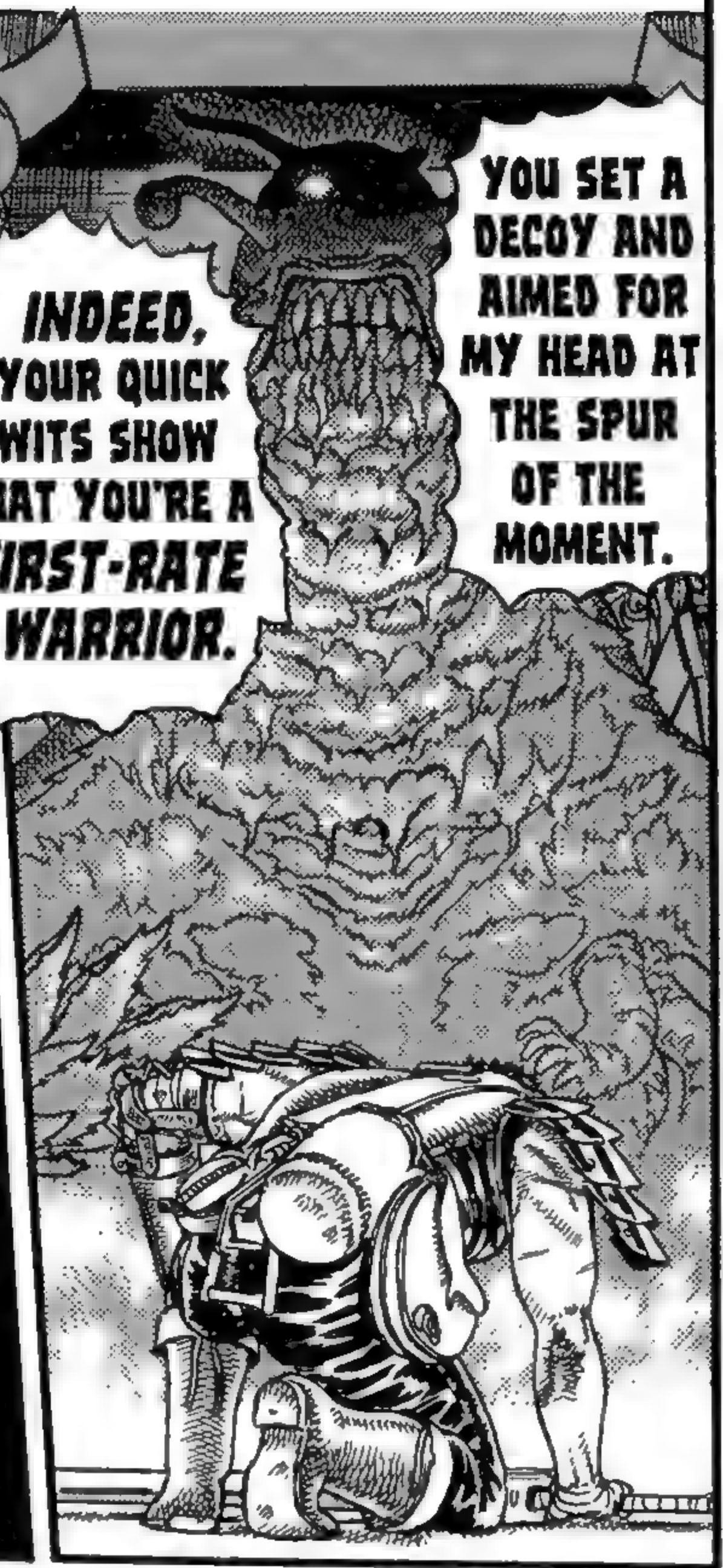


BUT IN  
THE END,  
THAT'S JUST A  
**HUMAN  
TECH-  
NIQUE!!**

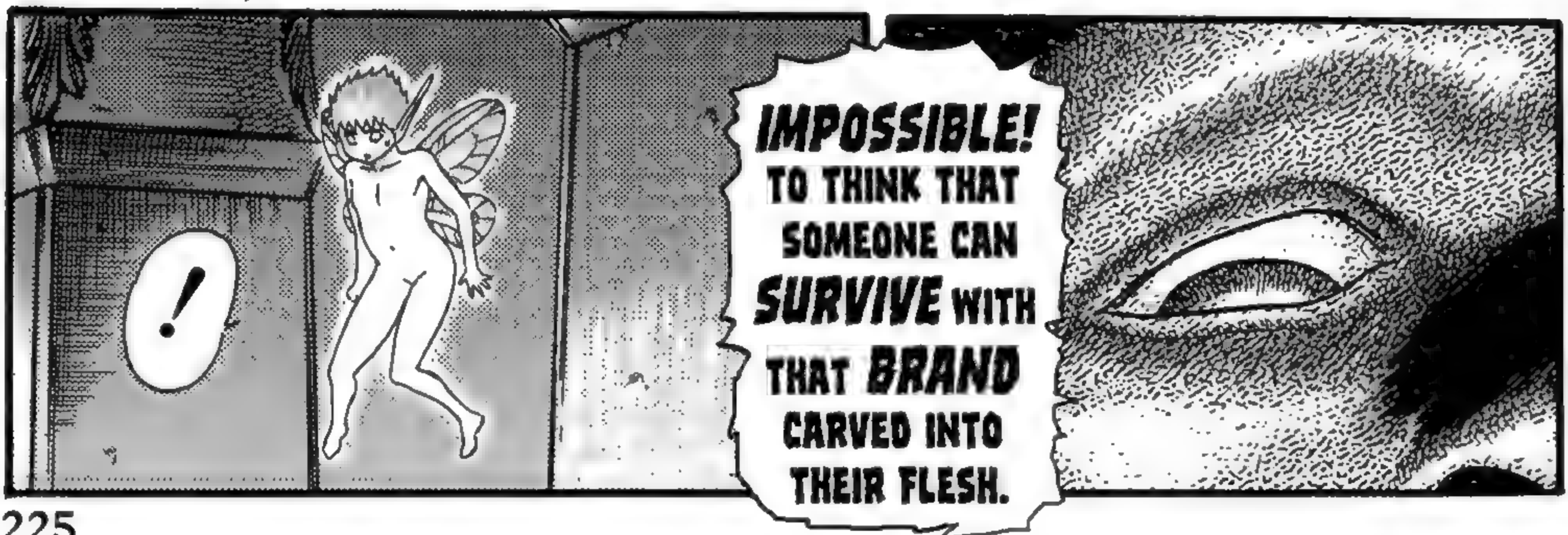
IT'S **IRRATIONAL**  
TO THINK THAT YOU  
CAN **DEFEAT ME.**  
I, WHO AM **BEYOND  
HUMAN.**

**INDEED,  
YOUR QUICK  
WITS SHOW  
THAT YOU'RE A  
FIRST-RATE  
WARRIOR.**

YOU SET A  
DECOY AND  
AIMED FOR  
MY HEAD AT  
THE SPUR  
OF THE  
MOMENT.

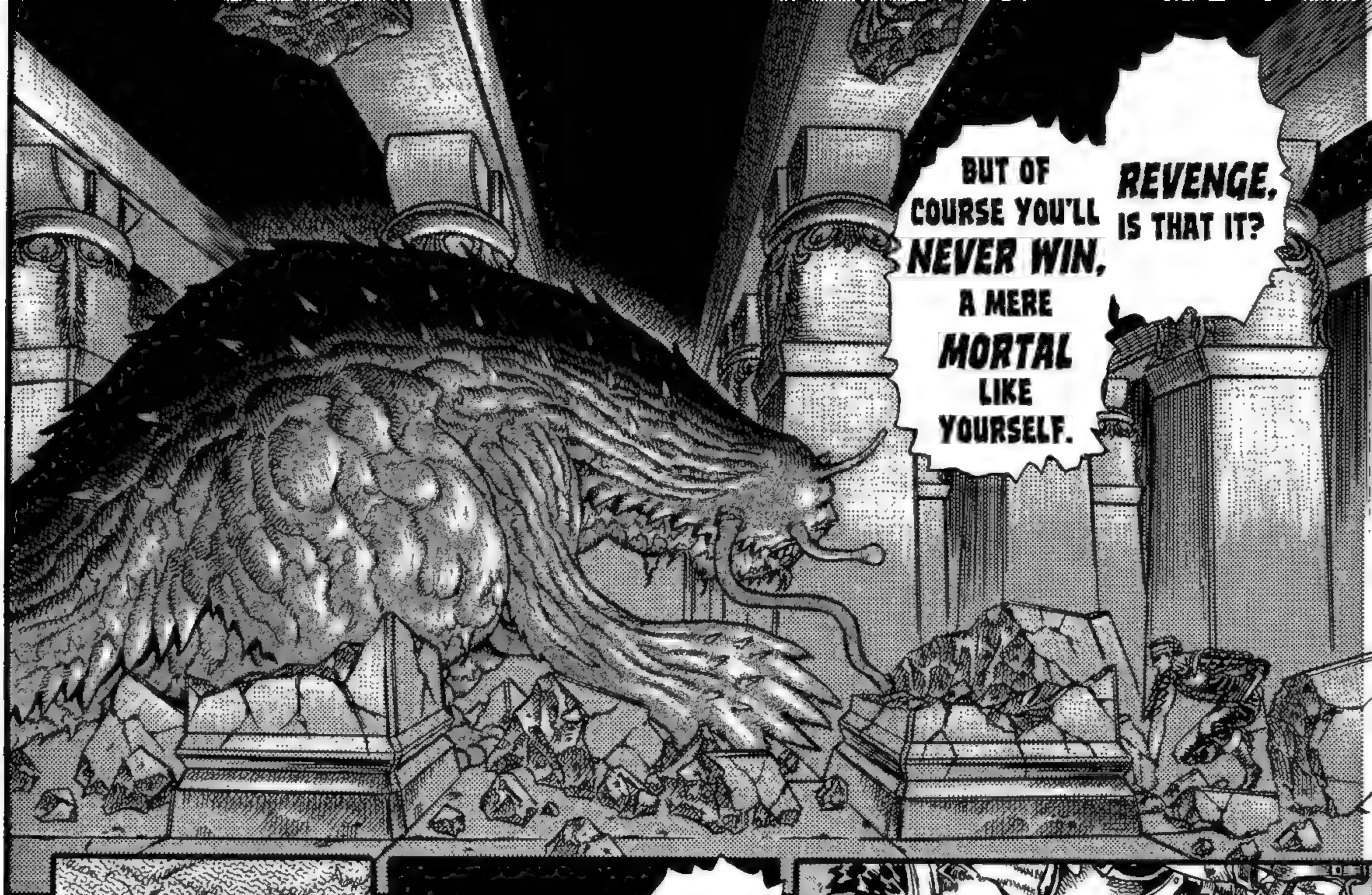


THE  
**BRAND**  
ON YOUR  
NECK ...



**IMPOSSIBLE!**  
TO THINK THAT  
SOMEONE CAN  
**SURVIVE** WITH  
THAT **BRAND**  
CARVED INTO  
THEIR FLESH.





BUT OF COURSE YOU'LL **NEVER WIN,**  
A MERE **MORTAL**  
LIKE YOURSELF. **REVENGE,**  
IS THAT IT?

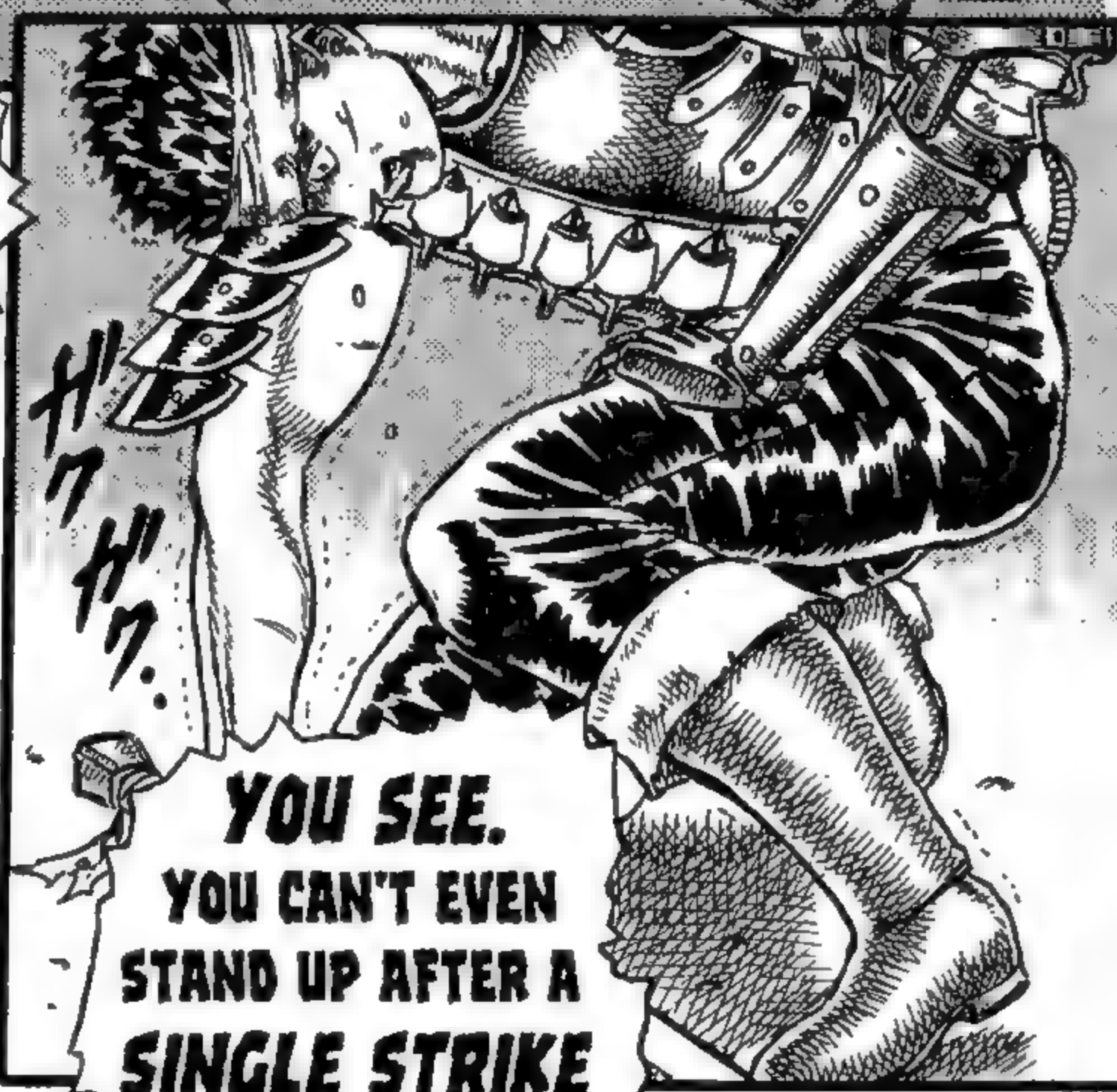


....!  
**YOU SHOULD PUT AN  
END TO IT NOW.**  
I WILL **RELEASE**  
**YOU** FROM YOUR  
**SUFFERING.**



**THAT'S  
RIGHT**  
...

**...IT'S A  
MEANING-  
LESS  
FIGHT!**



**YOU SEE.**  
YOU CAN'T EVEN  
STAND UP AFTER A  
**SINGLE STRIKE**  
FROM ME.

**...THERE'S NO  
NEED FOR YOU TO  
CONTINUE YOUR  
WAR OF PAIN  
AND FEAR.**



**IT'S NOT  
WORTH BEING  
CONSTANTLY  
HOUNDED  
BY DEMONS.  
CHOPPED  
TO  
PIECES...**



**BACK TO WHERE  
YOU BELONG.  
YOUR FINAL RESTING  
PLACE IN HELL.**

**I WILL  
DISPATCH  
YOU, ONCE  
AND FOR  
ALL.**



**IT WAS ALREADY  
PRE-ORDAINED  
THE MOMENT THE  
BRAND WAS  
CARVED INTO  
YOUR NECK.**

**...!!**



**...BY  
MAN'S  
EFFORTS.**

**DIVINE  
PROVIDENCE  
CANNOT BE  
THWARTED...**



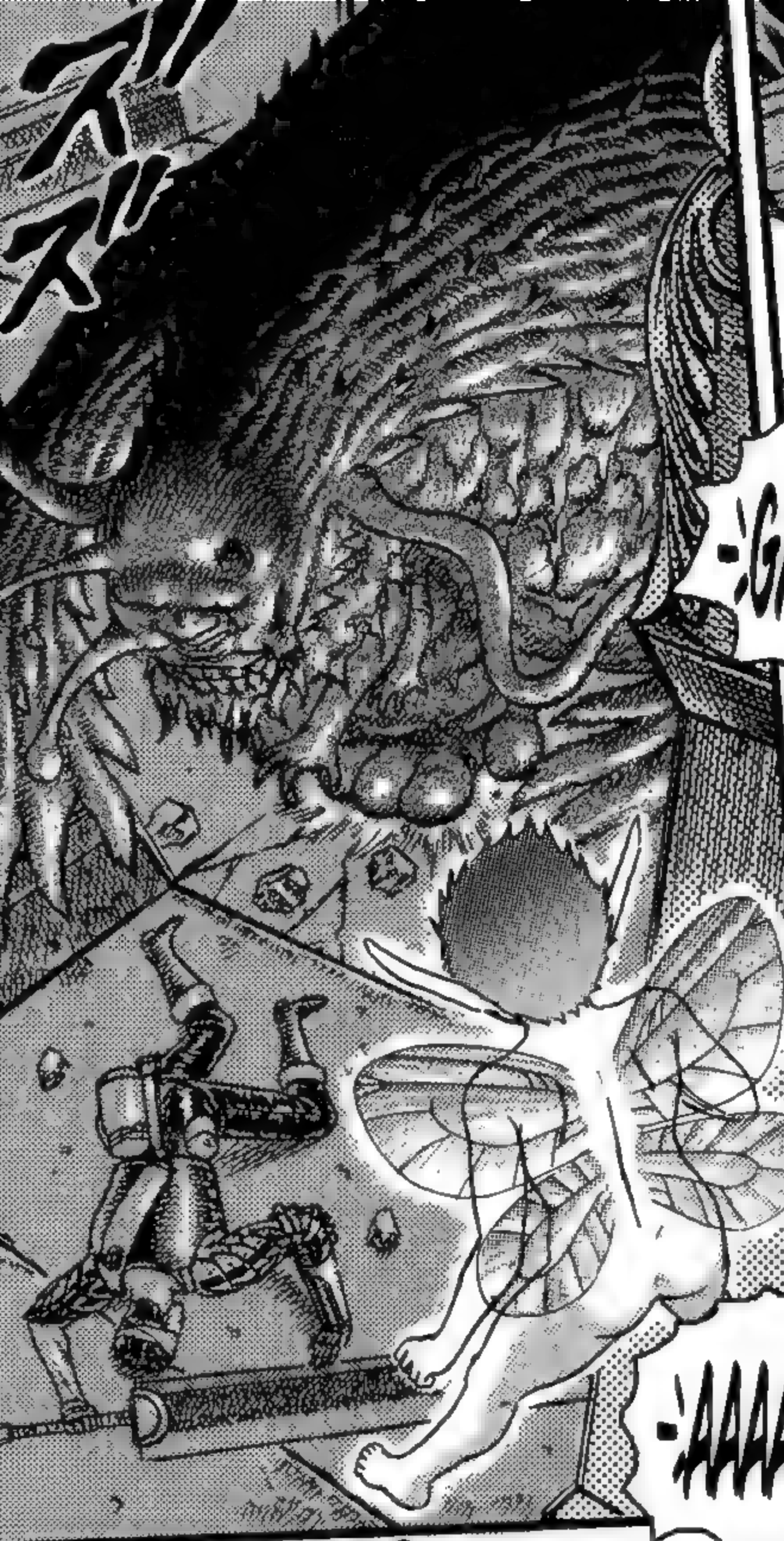


YOU CAN DIE  
PROUDLY NOW,  
KNOWING THAT  
AT LEAST YOU  
INFLECTED  
ONE BLOW  
UPON ME.

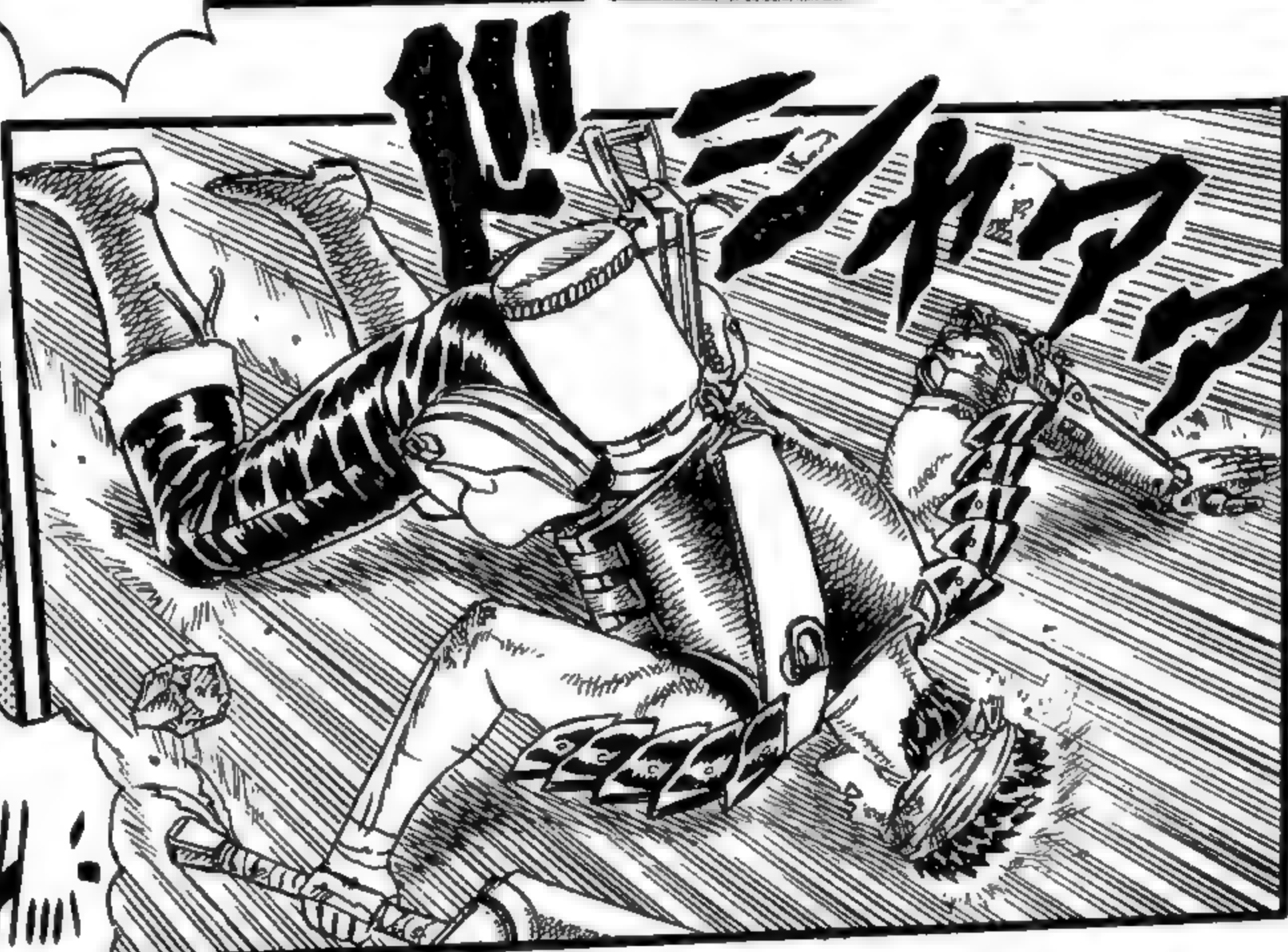
LOOK  
OUT!



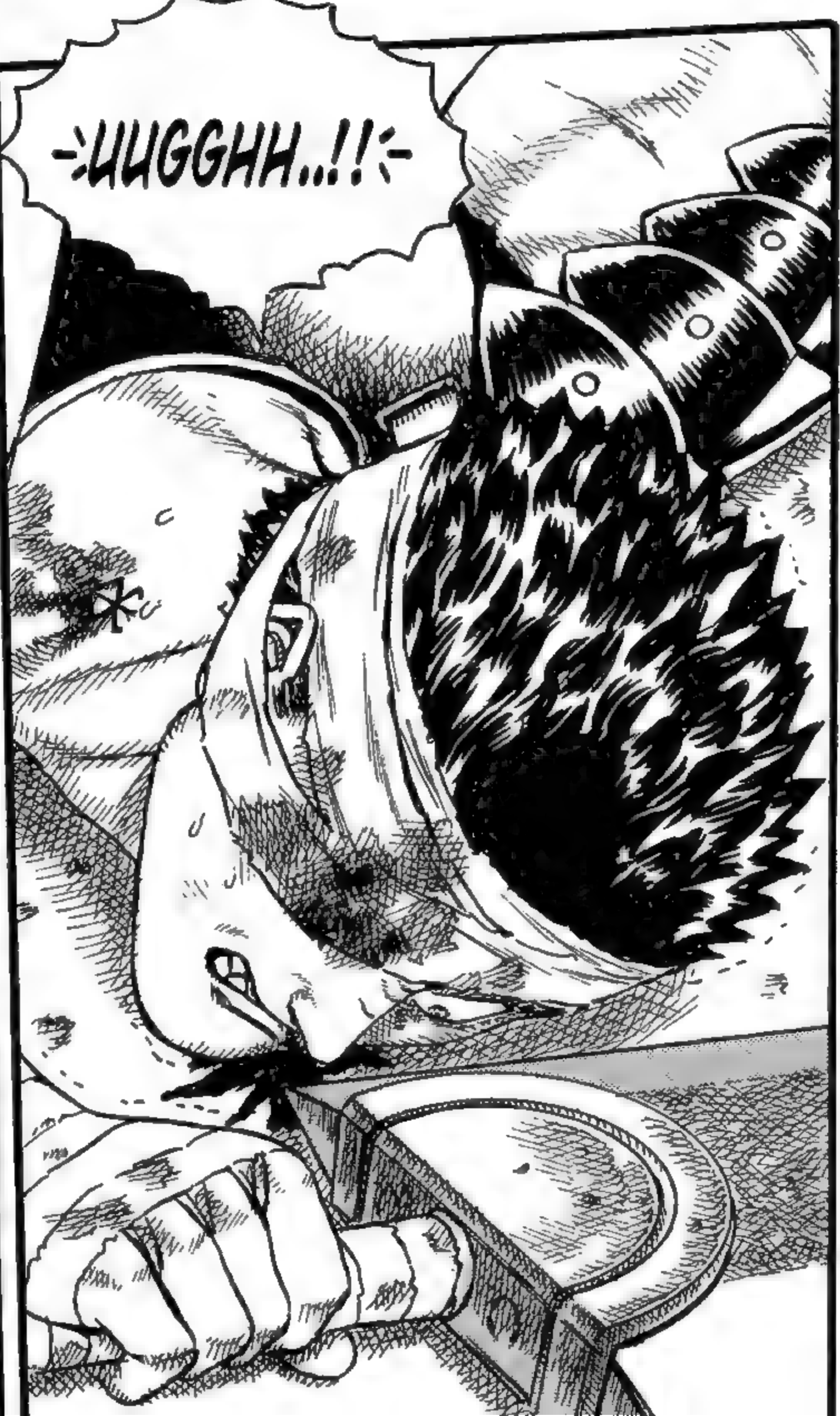




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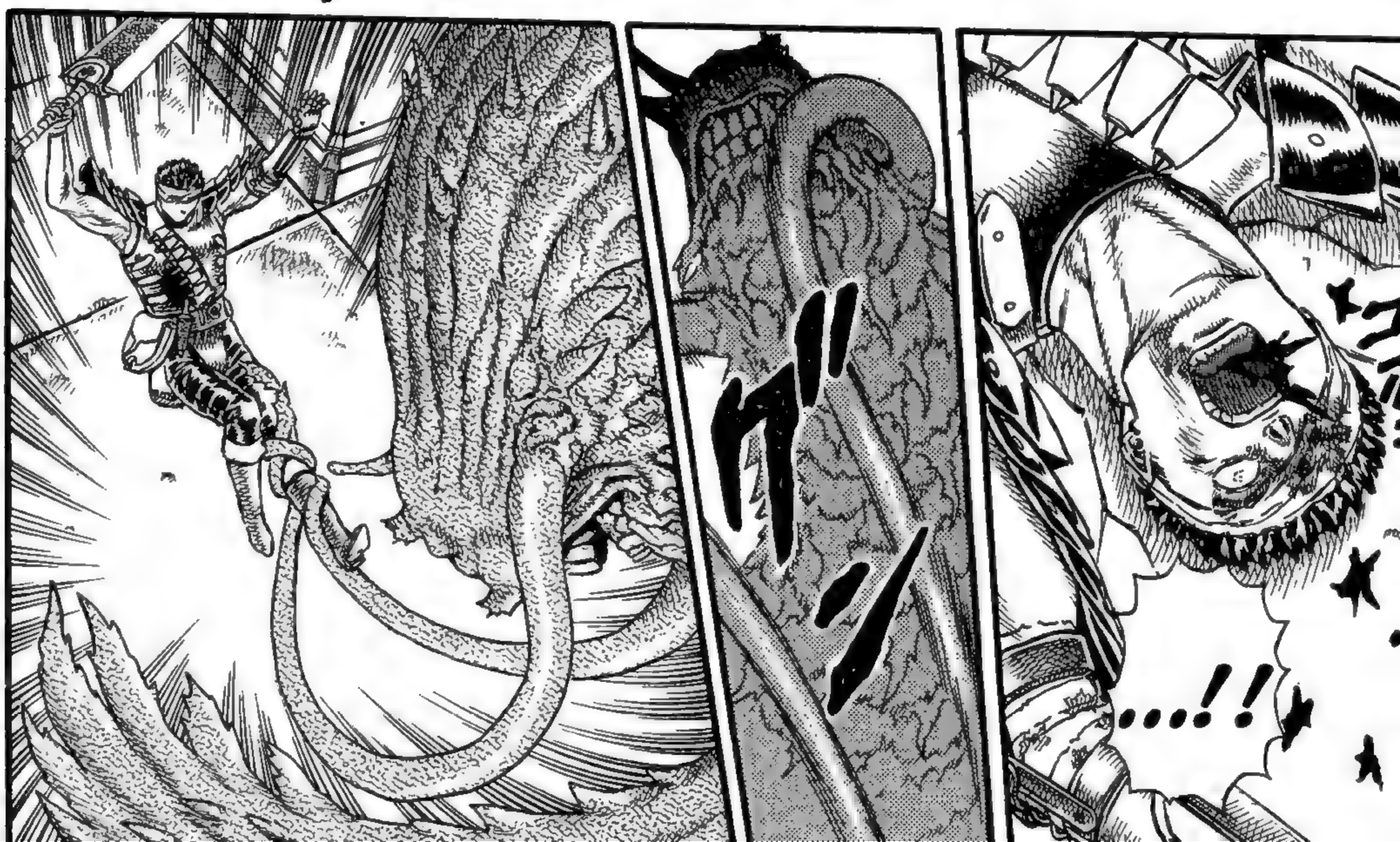
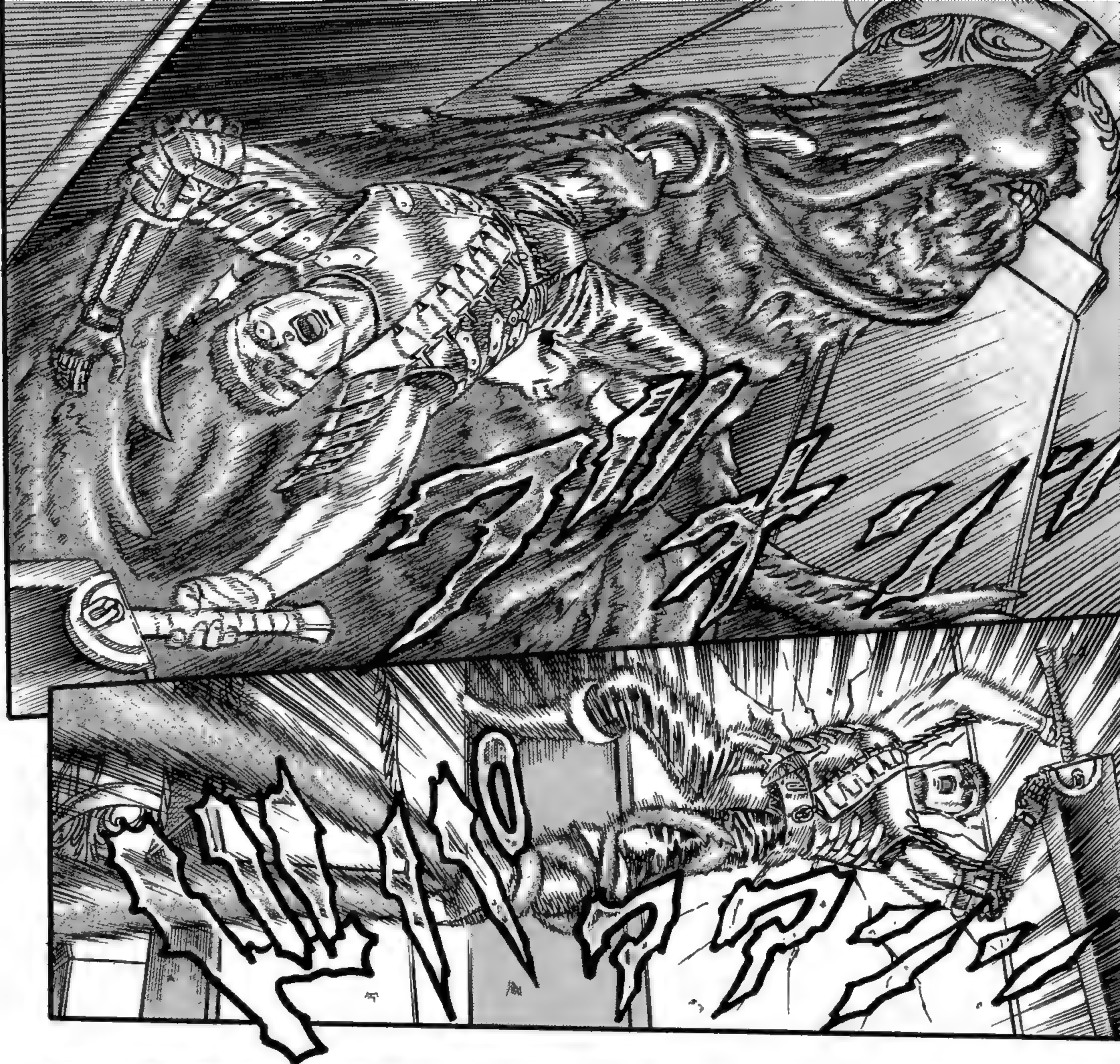
-AAAAH!!!-



-UUGGHH...!!-



















HEH  
HEH  
HEH...

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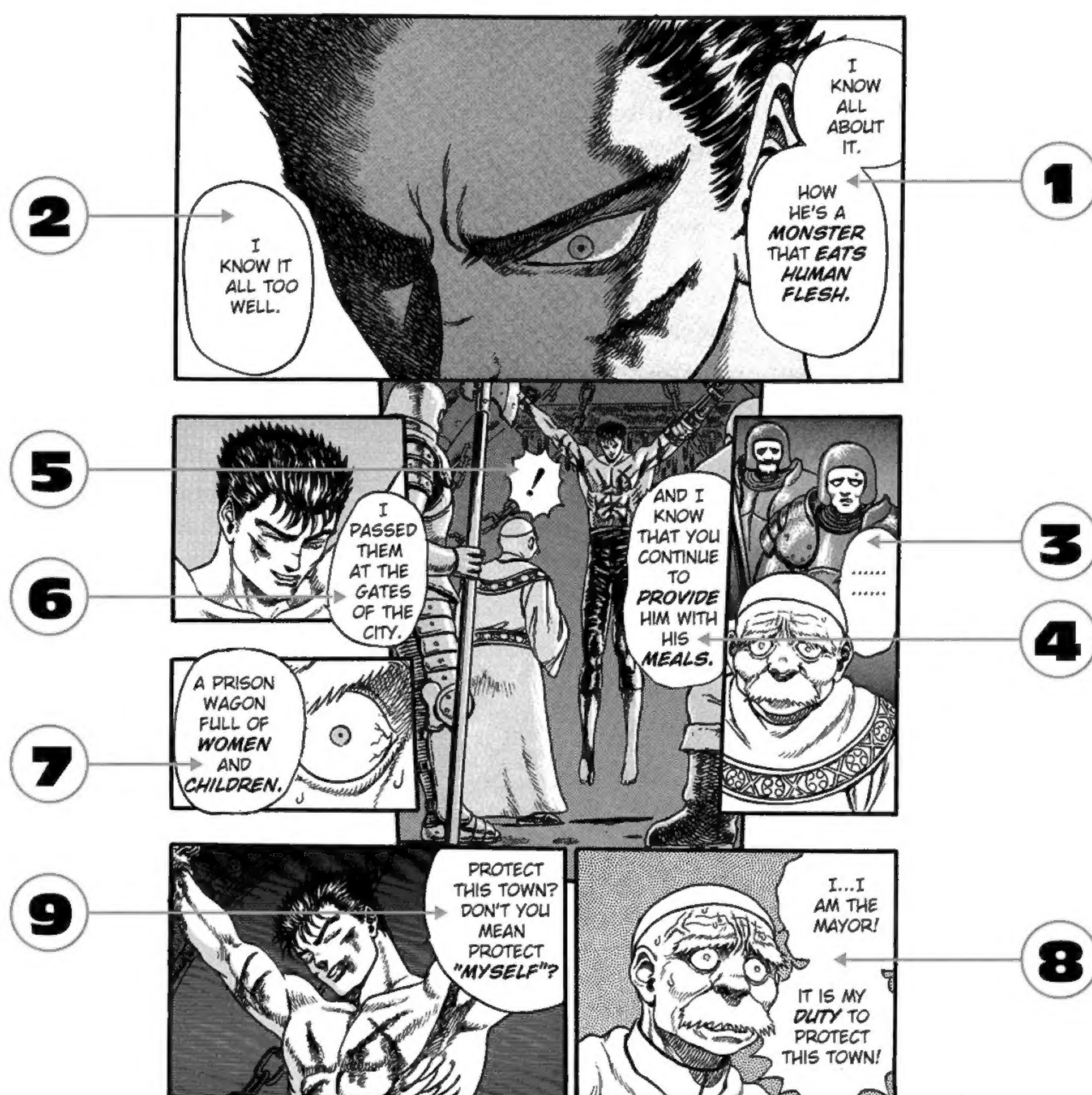
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